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### HB 212 Management and Sale of State Timber

This bill changes the purpose of state forests from multiple use to timber production, making commercial logging the chief consideration in land use planning.

The Alaska Environmental Lobby opposes HB 212 and urges the Legislature to consider the following observations.

Under current law only "isolated personal use" areas are exempt from site specific forest land use planning requirements. Section 1 expands this exemption to all sales of ten acres or less, and any size sale if it is acreage cleared for "non forest uses".

It deletes from the law the requirement for the State to consider interdisciplinary data on short, long term, and cumulative impacts of forest harvest activities on all forest resources. This in essence prevents concerns over timber harvest impacts on salmon habitat, trap line habitat or other uses from being considered prior to a commercial sale of timber.

HB 212 eliminates specific requirements that the five year timber sales schedule involve economic and environmental analysis. It eliminates the requirement that a timber sale be included in the five year timber schedules issued in the two years immediately preceding that sale, and instead allows a sale to occur if it has been listed in any two preceding schedules.

Sec. 4 - (c) (Page 3, line 13) exempts sales of under 500,000 board feet from all forest land use planning requirements.

This reduces the awareness of the sale and limits public participation in the decision process. The appropriate exemption should be for sales under 100,000 board feet that are separated in space and in time to make an accumulation of small sales difficult for export loggers.

HB 212 Changes the intent of multiple use management to focus on uses that will give the greatest direct dollar return. Multiple use should emphasize coordinated management of the resources without impairment of the land or water without consideration being given to the relative values of the resources.

It mandates consumptive use of state forest and allows DNR to restrict public use of state forest if such use would inhibit logging practices, and categorizes timber harvesting as "wildlife habitat improvement techniques".

HB 212 favors logging over all other uses of state forests, and requires a high level of scientific proof before DNR may restrict commercial logging on state forest. This is in diametric opposition to the underlying principles of the Constitution that provides for sustained yield of renewable resources. Subordinating present authorities to protect water quality, and fish and wildlife would be irresponsible.

It recreates the Tanana Valley State Forest specifically for intensive game habitat and commercial logging. It also eliminates the obligation for forest land use plans to consider protection of water quality, fish and wildlife protection, or other non-timber uses.

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Mary Pagenkopf

House Resources  
1-18-96 3:05 pm  
HB 212

**Sec. 41.17.200. State forest purposes.** The purpose of AS 41.17.200 — 41.17.230 is to permit the establishment of designated state-owned or acquired land and water areas as state forests. The primary purpose in the establishment of state forests is the perpetuation of personal, commercial, and other beneficial uses of resources through multiple-use management. (§ 1 ch 91 SLA 1983)

**Sec. 41.17.210. State forests.** (a) The governor may propose to the legislature the establishment of state forests consisting primarily of commercially valuable forest land determined by the governor to be necessary for retention in state ownership for management under the principles of multiple use and sustained yield and consistent with AS 38.04.005. The proposal of the governor shall include a report and recommendations of the commissioner including

- (1) a preliminary forest inventory;
  - (2) a summary of the testimony offered at public hearings held on the management of the proposed state forest in communities proximately located to a proposed state forest;
  - (3) the findings of the commissioner on anticipated incompatibilities of uses described in AS 41.17.230(e) under AS 41.17.230(f);
  - (4) written comments from appropriate state agencies on the compatibility of the uses described in AS 41.17.230(e) within the proposed state forest;
  - (5) an estimate of the cost of a full implementation of an operational level forest inventory and the management plan.
- (b) A state forest established by the legislature shall be retained in state ownership. (§ 1 ch 91 SLA 1983)

**Sec. 41.17.220. Management of state forests.** Land within a state forest or within a unit of a state forest shall be managed under

- (1) the principles of multiple-use and sustained yield;
- (2) this chapter; and
- (3) a management plan prepared by the department. (§ 1 ch 91 SLA 1983)

**Sec. 41.17.230. Management plans.** (a) The commissioner shall prepare a management plan consistent with AS 38.04.005 and this chapter for each state forest and for each unit of a state forest to assist in meeting the requirements of this chapter. An operational level forest inventory shall be completed before a management plan for the state forest or the unit of a state forest is adopted. The management plan shall be adopted, implemented and maintained within three years of the establishment of a state forest by the legislature.

- (b) The commissioner shall review a management plan at least once every five years and may revise the plan when necessary.

(c) A management plan may not be adopted or revised after the establishment of the state forest without prior review by the Board of Forestry and by other appropriate state agencies or without prior public hearings held in a community proximately located to the state forest or to a unit of a state forest.

(d) A copy of a management plan or a revision to a management plan adopted or prepared by the commissioner shall be provided to the legislature within 30 days of its adoption or revision or within the first 10 days of the first regular session of the legislature to convene after its adoption or revision.

(e) The commissioner shall consider and permit the following uses under a management plan prepared under (a) or (b) of this section subject to a determination under (f) of this section:

- (1) commercial timber harvest and related activities;
- (2) harvest of forest products for personal use;
- (3) mining, mining claim, and mineral leasehold location;
- (4) mineral leasing;
- (5) material extraction;
- (6) recreation;
- (7) wildlife and fisheries habitat management including critical habitat management;
- (8) greenbelts;
- (9) trapping and sport and subsistence fishing and hunting;
- (10) grazing;
- (11) watershed management;
- (12) research;
- (13) uses consistent with the policies of AS 38.04.015; and
- (14) other traditional, compatible uses.

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(f) A management plan prepared by the commissioner shall consider and permit the uses described in (e) of this section. If the commissioner finds that a permitted use is incompatible with one or more other uses in a portion of a state forest, the commissioner shall affirmatively state in the management plan that finding of incompatibility for the specific area where the incompatibility is anticipated to exist and the time period when the incompatibility is anticipated to exist together with the reasons for each finding. (§ 1 ch 91 SLA 1983)

**Article 4. State Land Reforestation.**

**Section**  
 300. State land reforestation fund  
 310. Appropriations to state land reforestation fund

**Section**  
 320. Report to the legislature

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Editorial Opinion and Comment of

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## Living with a state forest

Interior Alaska will be living with a new land classification now that Gov. Bill Sheffield has signed into law a bill creating the Tanana Valley State Forest.

Under the bill, 1.6 million acres of land will be off-limits to private ownership, but open to commercial timber development, home wood cutting, mining, recreation, hunting and fishing, and other uses under a multiple use management plan.

Even though creation of this state forest was controversial, we can live with and benefit from it if common sense is used in drawing up the regulations under which it will be managed.

Because Alaskans already have seen much of the state set aside for special uses, through the Alaska Native Land Claims Act and the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, placing more land in a special category proved controversial. The next step in creating a forest products industry and determining the nature of the state forest is the writing of the regulations under which it will be managed. That's where Alaskans should turn our attention now that the bill has become law.

The bill guarantees that commercial timber harvesting be provided, as well as a dozen other uses. We need to assure that the regulations reflect those guarantees.

We also need to be sure that the process through which some land can be backed out of the forest is working as it should. In one draft of the bill, one of the borough's proposed industrial sites was included within the forest. A mechanism was included to back out land such as that, and it will need to work smoothly. On some specific parcels, private ownership and development of the land would be a better use than including that land in the forest.

The Tanana Valley State Forest can be a major asset to Interior Alaska if we manage it with common sense. Public scrutiny of the regulations under which it will be managed can assure the job is getting done right.

## The best kind of fun

Golden Days is behind us. The days are shortening a bit.

# Who uses

It should come as no surprise to anyone connected with the mining industry to reflect that any individual in an industrialized society will have "used" a dozen different metals before breakfast.

Bed springs, for a start, normally contain iron, manganese, chromium and vanadium. The simple action of switching on an electric light involves a whole system of metals: the tungsten lamp filament, copper wiring, copper, mercury and zinc in the switch, tin and lead in the solder and fuses. In the distribution grid, there may be aluminum in the power lines and uranium in the generating stations. Turning on the water for a wash involves several metals yet again, and a look in the mirror "silvered" with tin-mercury amalgam brings the list to 12.

As the day passes, so the list in which metals are essential grows: Farm tractors and equipment, boats,

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## House Of Representatives

DATE: March 22, 1995  
TO: Resources Committee  
FROM: Representative Jeannette James

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "JJ", written over the name "Representative Jeannette James".

Attached is a letter regarding **HB 212**.

I had promised Ms. Silet I would read it into the record at the State Affairs meeting, but it came in too late. Please read it into the record when HB 212 is heard in Resources.

Thank you for your help.

To: House State Affairs Committee  
From: Louise Silet  
Re: H.B.212  
Date: 3/21/95

I have to be at work at 8:00, so can't be at our L.I.O. this morning to speak to you directly. I request that my written testimony be put in the committee packets. Thank For instance, It eliminates the requirement for DNR to do economic and environmental analysis in the five year timber sale schedule.  
you.

I feel that H.B.212 is a series of loopholes and undefined terms that could that could lead us into serious trouble. For instance the terms "salvage sales", "non-forest" uses, and "emergency" are not defined, and these definitions are crucial to understanding this piece of legislation.

We need to consider all available data on short ,long-term, and cumulative impacts of forestry activities on all forest resources. H.B.212 does not provide for this safeguard.

It doesn't require that these sales be included the five year timber schedules in the two years immediately preceding the sale. In fact it severely limits what DNR has to consider and provide the public in planning timber sales. It no longer requires that the five year timber sales schedule involve economic and environmental analysis, leaving the public without crucial information.

Operators would no longer be required to give DNR a detailed operating plan when logging on state forested land. This would limit the information that DNR and the would public have on any given timber sale.

It states that the primary use of our forests be is to produce timber. That is very worrisome in regard to all of the other uses of the forest.

It allow DNR to restrict public use of state forested land if such use would inhibit logging practices, and categorizes timber harvesting as wildlife habitat improvement techniques. This would allow DNR to logging to be classified as meeting multiple use requirements. This is very controversial with the public.

Please don't support this billl

Knowles' Administration testimony on CS HB212 (RES).  
presented to the House Resources Committee Meeting of  
12/05/95 in Anchorage.

Presented on behalf of the Administration by Marty Rutherford,  
Deputy Commissioner/Department of Natural Resources

## CS HB212 (RES) (K)

### Overall Comment

Good Morning. I'm Marty Rutherford, Deputy Commissioner of the Dept. of Natural Resources and I'm here today to present the Knowles' Administration's testimony on the Resources' Committee Substitute for House Bill 212.

I appreciate the opportunity to be here and to have further discussions with you about this bill. I will be providing some comments about the specific sections and then Tom Boutin, the State Forester, and I are available to answer questions. Much like in Fairbanks, we are looking forward to a good exchange of information.

The Administration continues to support the general direction of the House Bill 212 and this Committee Substitute is a much improved bill. As I said on September 19th, it is a high priority of the Knowles' Administration to provide a predictable supply of timber and we are working hard to accomplish that.

I'm also aware that the House Resources Committee is very supportive of the state timber sale program and that is both important and appreciated.

I'd like to commend the House Resources Committee for a good process on HB 212, for listening and considering every one of our comments, and for adopting the majority of our recommendations. We especially appreciate your involving the Board of Forestry, your September hearing in Fairbanks where you used a very effective panel process, and for inviting us back to talk with you today.

The Committee Substitute comes most of the distance we need to go. While not every part of every section is exactly as we recommended on September 19th, most of our concerns have been deleted and, as I indicated, our suggested language was adopted in many instances. Looking at the Committee Substitute sectionally, there are 6 sections where most, or all, of our recommendations were adopted in an important way.

Now to our specific comments sectionally:

Section 1: We continue to support this section. And we thank you for resisting any pressure to raise the Forest Land Use Plan (also known as the FLUP) exemption from the 10 acres in the bill (which is as we recommended to you "in the strongest possible terms"). This language ensures your goal of providing efficiencies in the state timber sale program without diminishing the public process. If anyone previously had any doubts about that, this Committee Substitute should put them at ease.

Section 2: We recommended deletion of this section when we spoke to you on September 19 because of public process concerns. While the Committee Substitute is less objectionable, we continue to recommend deletion of this section. And while we admit that the section could help in a future lawsuit defense, people who rely on thorough public process and evidence of the most comprehensive and far-reaching analysis in resource management need to be able to require that the analysis be long-term and collective.

The Division of Forestry has about 50 meetings a year in the course of the state timber sale program. Through those meetings we are able to develop a very good sense of what is important to the concerned public and we firmly believe that the deletion of the cumulative aspects of this bill will be very contentious.

I do want to thank you for coming part way with this section.

Section 3: The Committee Substitute adds back in public process by requiring 38.04.065(b) considerations (ie: sustained yield and multiple use) where there is not an Area Plan or a State Forest management plan. This is an improvement over the original bill and is the strongest possible evidence that the House Resources Committee recognizes the importance of public process in public resource management.

Section 4: We thank you for adding the word "the" back into 38.05.113(b) (5 Year Sale Schedule) on Line 17. This assures the public that when they look at a 5 Year Schedule of Timber Sales, they are seeing virtually all of the sales that will be sold during the next period of time. This one word ensures that we cannot take a controversial sale off the schedule for a few years and then offer it again without bringing it for public review through the 5 Year Schedule process.

At the September 19th Hearing the Board of Forestry asked that Section 4 be modified to require that sales of 160 acres or less be required to appear in at least one 5 Year Schedule and we agreed with that. We would still rather have that requirement.

Finally, we also appreciate the change in the Committee Substitute to an acreage limit. I might note that, if this section becomes law, whenever we can we will continue to put all sales in the 5 Year Schedules - without regard to sale size.

Section 5: The language the Administration suggested at the September 19th Hearing was adopted. This adds to public process and should be appreciated by all who believe that public process is important. It is certainly appreciated by the Administration.

Section 6: Our recommendation was adopted, adding back in the detailed plan of operations requirement to land not managed by the division. This adds to agency process, assuring the public that the processes agreed in what became the Forest Resources and Practices Act will be carried out.

Section 7: On September 19, we told you that Section 7 was the most polarizing part of HB212. We gave you substitute language and you took it exactly as given. We thank you for this change.

Section 8: On September 19, we asked you to delete this entire section. You chose not to do that. And while the committee substitute deletes what you may feel were the most objectionable parts - high productivity in forest growth and increased production of edible wildlife, we remain unable to support this section without two more deletions.

On Line 20, Page 4, we would like the words "the fullest" (practicable access to) deleted. Statewide, the people who are most troubled by timber harvest find roading to be the most objectionable aspect of harvest. Since we try to minimize road building to that level that is absolutely necessary to bring the wood out, this change would not bring any difficulty to our timber sale program.

On Line 22, we would like the word "only" deleted. It's certainly true that this is the operative word in the clause. But we worry that such a serious and broad restriction could lead to much deliberation and even litigation. For example, if a use needs to be restricted while timber harvest is going on, we need to be certain we can make that restriction.

Section 9: This is a new section but it is only added for coordination with other statute changes. If AS 38.05.112(d) becomes part of AS 41.17.230 then this section is necessary. We accept Section 9.

Section 10: This is Section 9 of the original bill. We asked that it be deleted and you deleted the most objectionable part ("scientific data as a requirement"). We realize that this was a large concession and it is appreciated. We can accept Section 10 as it now reads.

Section 11: On September 19, we asked that this entire section be deleted. Within the Administration, we had considerable discussion about the same section appearing in the committee substitute. In the spirit of compromise, and in acknowledgment of all the changes you did make at our request, we are asking that one word be changed. Please change the word "consumption" to "use". Then the key phrase becomes, "high level of sustained yield for human use through habitat improvement techniques." This better reflects the full range of management action available to the Board of Game.

Section 12: On September 19, we asked that this be deleted, but only because we were asking that another section be deleted. If Section 10 remains (and the Administration will now accept Section 10 - and, Section 10 now includes the reference giving DNR direction to limit the time and area for which a land use is incompatible) then this section needs to remain. We accept Section 12.

### Summary

In summary, the Administration appreciates the marked changes reflected in the Committee Substitute. Most of these changes were requested by the Administration at your September 19th Hearing in Fairbanks. We now ask that you delete Section 2, delete 3 words in Section 8 and change one word in Section 11. We're getting very close. Thank you and Tom Boutin and I are both available to answer any questions.

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HOUSE BILL NO. 212

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Introduced: 3/1/95  
Referred: State Affairs, Resources, Finance

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to the management and sale of state timber and relating to the  
2 administration of forest land and classification of state land."

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

4 \* Section 1. AS 38.05.112(a) is amended to read:

5 (a) The department may not [SELL OR] harvest timber, except for sales of  
6 less than 10 acres or [ISOLATED PERSONAL USE] timber salvaged from land  
7 cleared for a nonforest use [HARVEST], until a site-specific forest land use plan has  
8 been adopted. A forest land use plan is required whether or not a regional or area land  
9 use plan under AS 38.04.065(a) or a forest management plan under AS 41.17.230 has  
10 been adopted.

11 \* Sec. 2. AS 38.05.112(b) is amended to read:

12 (b) The commissioner shall base a forest land use plan on the best available  
13 data, including information provided by other agencies [DESCRIBING THE  
14 IMMEDIATE AND LONG-TERM EFFECTS OF INDIVIDUAL AND COLLECTIVE

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1 FOREST ACTIVITIES ON THE TIMBER BASE AND ON OTHER RESOURCES  
2 AND USES].

3 \* Sec. 3. AS 38.05.112(c) is amended to read:

4 (c) A [IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF AS 38.04.065(b), A]  
5 forest land use plan shall consider

6 (1) commercial timber harvesting, including related activities;

7 (2) harvesting of forest products for personal use;

8 (3) fish and wildlife habitat, including

9 *Must be* (A) identification and protection of important wildlife habitat;

10 *Suffice and* (B) retention of riparian, wetland, and ocean-shoreline  
11 vegetation critical for fish and wildlife habitat; [AND]

12 (C) classification of water bodies according to physical  
13 characteristics; and

14 *Timber sales*  
15 *will go into*  
16 *the public*  
17 *fund.*  
18 (D) the use of silvicultural practices, commercial timber  
19 harvest, and related activities to maintain and enhance the quantity and  
20 quality of wildlife habitat;

21 (4) uses of forest land for nontimber purposes, including

22 (A) recreation, tourism, and related activities;

23 (B) mining, mining claims, mineral leaseholds, and material  
24 extraction;

25 (C) uses of fish and wildlife;

26 (D) agriculture, including grazing; and

27 (E) other resources and uses appropriate to the area, including  
28 compatible traditional uses;

29 (5) soil characteristics and productivity;

30 (6) water quality; and

31 (7) watershed management.

\* Sec. 4. AS 38.05.113 is amended to read:

32 Sec. 38.05.113. FIVE-YEAR SALE SCHEDULE. (a) The department shall  
33 annually prepare a five-year schedule of timber sales planned on all land managed by  
34 the department. The timber sale schedule must provide a timeline that identifies

1 timber sales, their amounts, and their locations ~~and must be sufficient to provide~~  
2 the public and the forest products industry with a basis to comment on future sale  
3 offerings [BE OF SUFFICIENT SPECIFICITY THAT IT PROVIDES A BASIS FOR  
4 THE DEPARTMENT TO ALLOCATE ITS RESOURCES IN CONSIDERING AND  
5 DESIGNING SALES AND IN CONDUCTING ECONOMIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSES. THE SCHEDULE MUST INFORM THE PUBLIC  
6 AND THE TIMBER PRODUCTS INDUSTRY OF LONG-TERM PLANS AND  
7 PROVIDE A BASIS FOR PUBLIC COMMENT].

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9 (b) Except as provided in (c) of this section, a proposed sale may not be held  
10 unless it has been included in [THE] two five-year schedules preceding the sale.  
11 [THIS REQUIREMENT DOES NOT APPLY UNTIL ONE YEAR AFTER THE  
12 FIRST FIVE-YEAR SCHEDULE IS PREPARED UNDER THIS SECTION.]

13 ~~(c) Sales under 500,000 board feet, salvage sales of dead or down timber.~~  
14 [THE DEPARTMENT MAY ADOPT REGULATIONS EXEMPTING SMALL] and  
15 emergency sales are exempt from the requirements of this section.

16 \* Sec. 5. AS 38.05.113 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

17 (d) A proposed timber sale that has been scheduled as specified in (b) of this  
18 section may be offered past the originally scheduled year without being included in  
19 future schedules if the sale

- 20 (1) was offered as scheduled and was not purchased;  
21 (2) was sold as scheduled and was returned to the state uncompleted;  
22 ~~OR~~  
23 (3) is held within two years of the scheduled year.

24 \* Sec. 6. AS 41.17.090(c) is amended to read:

25 (c) Before beginning operations on municipal or private forest land, the  
26 operator shall provide the state forester with a detailed plan of operations. The detailed  
27 plan of operations must include

- 28 (1) a description of the proposed operations, identifying the land  
29 involved and the action proposed in sufficient detail to inform the public of the nature  
30 and location of the proposed operations; the description must include a map and must  
31 be in a form suitable for duplication;

1 (2) the name, address, and approving signature of the forest landowner,  
2 timber owner, and operator; and  
3 (3) other information required in the regulations adopted under this  
4 chapter.

5 \* Sec. 7. AS 41.17.200 is amended to read:

6 Sec. 41.17.200. STATE FOREST PURPOSES. The purpose of AS 41.17.200  
7 - 41.17.230 is to permit the establishment of designated state-owned or acquired land  
8 and water areas as state forests. The primary purpose in the establishment of state  
9 forests is multiple use management *provides for* emphasizing the production, utilization, and  
10 replenishment of timber resources while perpetuating [THE PERPETUATION OF]  
11 personal, commercial, and other beneficial uses of resources [THROUGH MULTIPLE-  
12 USE MANAGEMENT].

13 \* Sec. 8. AS 41.17.200 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

14 (b) In managing a state forest, the commissioner shall, consistent with the  
15 primary purpose of a state forest under (a) of this section,

16 (1) allow for the fullest possible access to, and use and consumption  
17 of, the natural resources, including timber, fish and wildlife, and minerals;

18 (2) maintain forest growth at a high level of productivity; *delete*

19 (3) restrict the public use of the land and its resources only when  
20 necessary to carry out the purposes of this chapter; and

21 (4) manage wildlife habitat for increased production of species  
22 important for human consumption through habitat improvement techniques, including  
23 timber harvest, crushing, and prescribed and natural fire. *delete*

24 \* Sec. 9. AS 41.17.230(a) is amended to read:

25 (a) The commissioner shall prepare a management plan consistent with  
26 AS 38.04.005 and this chapter for each state forest and for each unit of a state forest  
27 to assist in meeting the requirements of this chapter. An operational level forest  
28 inventory shall be completed before a management plan for the state forest or the unit  
29 of a state forest is adopted. The management plan shall be adopted, implemented, and  
30 maintained within three years of the establishment of a state forest by the legislature.

31 The management plan must consider and permit the uses described in



**TO:**  
**FROM:** Dan Ritzman  
**DATE:** January 15, 1996

**RE:** HB 212 Hearing in House Resources of Wednesday 1/17/96 at 8:15AM

House Resources will be holding a hearing on Wednesday morning to finalize a Committee Substitute on HB 212. HB 212 is touted as a "small loggers bill" by its sponsors, and although I agree that sections of the bill may help small operations, the overall effect of this legislation will be detrimental to other forest related values.

This will be the fifth time that Resources has heard the bill and they are proposing some substantial changes over the original bill. These changes definitely improve the bill, but there are still at least two more changes that have to be made before the bill even begins to approach palatability.

I am sending along the working draft from House Resources. The changes that I feel need to be made are:

*Some concerns with the bill*  
**Section 2** (page 1, lines 14-15) appears to eliminate an important requirement that the state use the best available data to evaluate the cumulative and long-term effects of forestry activity on both the trees and non-timber resources. Cumulative impacts may be the most serious effects of ~~some timber sales~~. ~~It certainly is one of ADF&G's greatest concerns on the Kenai Peninsula, which has seen a huge total increase in logging on private, university, DNR and other lands.~~ Due to the cumulative impacts on a variety of activities, the brown bear season on the Peninsula has already been closed. As logging increases in the Interior these same types of cumulative effects may be seen there.

*and other areas with large amounts of young forested land*  
**Recommend** that the Committee retain the language requiring the consideration of ... immediate and longterm effects of individual and collective forest activities...

**Section 4** (page 3, lines 20-22) eliminates the Five Year Schedule requirement for sales of 160 acres or less. This would mean that over 70% of the sales in the Interior and a fair number of sales on the Kenai would **not** appear on the schedule.

The Five Year Schedule is an incredibly useful tool. It includes (at the present time) in one document all state sales in the region. It is nearly impossible to learn about these sales from individual sale announcements buried in the legal section of the newspaper, and even if one did see all of the individual announcements one would still not have a good sense of the overall picture for the region.

**Recommend** that at the very least the Committee adopt the compromise language suggested by the Board of Forestry that sales of less than 160 acres appears in at least one Five Year Schedule.

There are other problem areas in the bill including **Sections 3** (page 2, lines 22-24) and **Section 11**. The Committee should be thanked for changing **Section 7** to keep multiple use management as a primary purpose.

Please call me at (907) 463-3366 if you have any questions

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**MEMORANDUM**

May 25, 1995

**SUBJECT:** Sectional Summary HB 212 (Work Order No. 9-LS0695VF)

**TO:** Representative Bill Williams  
Attn: Jack Phelps

**FROM:** Gerald P. Luckhaupt *GL*  
Legislative Counsel

You have requested a sectional summary of the above-described bill. As a preliminary matter, please note that a sectional summary of a bill should not be considered an authoritative interpretation of the bill - the bill itself is the best statement of its contents.

**Section 1 of the bill** amends AS 38.05.112(a) relating to when a site-specific forest land use plan must be prepared. *Removes req. - Subsection removed.*

**Section 2 of the bill** amends the requirements for preparation of forest use plans under AS 38.05.112(b). *Best available data / app. to should be considered*

*Amendment to it needs to be deleted.*

**Section 3 of the bill** amends AS 38.05.112(c) relating to the considerations required in a forest land use plan.

**Section 4 of the bill** amends AS 36.05.113 relating to the requirements of the five year schedule of timber sales; provides an exception for timber sales previously noticed in the five year sale schedules; and adds exceptions from the five year sale schedule listing requirements.

**Section 5 of the bill** adds a new subsection to AS 38.05.113 dealing with continued offerings of timber sales after the sale has been listed in the five year sale schedules. *Needs to be adopted*

**Section 6 of the bill** amends AS 41.17.090(c) by providing that detailed plans of timber operations on state land do not have to be prepared and submitted to the state forester under the Forest Practices Act.

**Section 7 and 8 of the bill** amend AS 41.17.200 by providing new direction for the commissioner of natural resources in the management of state forests.

Representative Bill Williams  
May 25, 1995  
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Section 9 of the bill amends AS 41.17.230(a) by providing that the commissioner of natural resources must permit and allow the uses mentioned in AS 38.05.112(c) in state forest management plans and provides procedures for the commissioner to follow if it is found that a permitted use is incompatible with other uses.

Section 10 of the bill provides a wildlife management objective for the Tanana State Forest.

Section 11 of the bill provides a repealer to correspond to the change in section 9 of the bill.

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September 18, 1995  
Board of Forestry  
Recommendations  
to the  
House Resources Committee  
on  
HB212

1. Notification for plan of operations (AS 41.17.090)

The Board of Forestry recommends the following change: On page 3, line 25, delete "municipal or private" and insert "not managed by the division" after "forest land".

2. Primary purpose of the state forests (AS 41.17.200)

The Board of Forestry recommends that the existing language of 41.17.200 be retained. However, the board would add the following sentence at the end:

"However, the commissioner may emphasize a single use in areas of the state forests to be identified in the forest management plans."

The Board of Forestry generally supports the multiple use concepts described in Section 8. However, the board has reservations with the mandatory nature of the language.

3. Moving incompatible use requirements from AS 38.05.112 to AS 41.17.230

The Board of Forestry recommends moving 38.05.112(d) to 41.17.230.

4. Scientific data required to preclude commercial timber harvest

The Board of Forestry agrees that on scientific issues, the commissioner should rely on the best scientific data and analysis available. However, in the multiple use management of state forests, the public policy issues as developed in the forest management plans need to be considered in addition to the scientific issues.

5. Wildlife management objective for the Tanana Valley State Forest

The Board of Forestry supports multiple use.

6. Exceptions to FLUP requirements [AS 38.05.112(a)]

The Board of Forestry supports Section 1 in HB212 but recommends exceptions to the forest land use plan be changed to "10 acres or less".

7. Five-year schedule requirements [AS 38.05.113(a)]

The Board of Forestry supports amending AS 38.05.113(a) as proposed by Section 4 of HB212.

8. Five-year schedule exemption [AS 38.05.113(c)]

The Board of Forestry recommends sales of 160 acres or less be included in not less than one five year schedule of timber sales.

**HOUSE RESOURCES COMMITTEE  
WORK SESSION AGENDA  
September 19, 1995**

**HB 212, Timber Management**

**Sponsor Statement**

Representative Jeannette James, Chair, State Affairs Committee

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**HB 344, Value Added Timber Contracts**

**Sponsor Statement**

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April 26, 1995

Rep. Bill Williams  
House Resources Committee  
State Capitol  
Juneau, AK 99801-1182

Re: HB 212

Dear Rep. Williams:

The Resource Development Council supports HB 212, a bill relating to the management and sale of state timber. RDC believes this bill addresses the minimum changes necessary to encourage the establishment of a forest products industry in the Interior, leading to economic diversification, an additional tax base for local communities and new jobs for Alaskans.

The bill targets overly-restrictive policies in Title 38 and reduces the tremendous amounts of paperwork that is required for smaller timber sales. Currently, sales of state-owned timber that create new wealth and jobs in Alaska are bogged down in excessive, time-consuming and costly procedures. For a small operator and others, the current procedures are totally impractical. However, the modifications proposed in HB 212 will simplify the process and reduce the time and cost of preparing site-specific forest land use plans for individual timber sales.

HB 212 would also bring current statutes back to the original legislative intent which created the state forests. HB 212 re-establishes true multiple use management on state forest, emphasizing production, utilization and replenishment of timber resources.

With 11 million acres of state land and more than 100 million acres of federal lands in Alaska classified for parks and recreation, it is most reasonable to designate less than 2 million acres in the Tanana Valley State Forest for multiple use management emphasizing sustainable timber harvests. HB 212 would help guarantee a long-term supply of timber, a key element necessary in attracting the investment capital needed in the establishment of a forest products industry.

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HB 212 addresses the minimum changes necessary to ensure the survival of a timber industry in Interior Alaska. It achieves the long-standing objectives of economic diversification and new jobs for the region, while ensuring the sustainable harvest of timber in state forests originally created for the utilization of timber resources.

RDC supports HB 212 and encourages you to work for the eventual passage of this legislation. Please let us know what we can do to advance this legislation.

Sincerely,

RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL  
for Alaska, Inc.



Carl Portman  
Communications Director

cc: Rep. Jeannette James



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# LEGISLATIVE TELECONFERENCE NETWORK SIGN-IN SHEET

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# LEGISLATIVE TELECONFERENCE NETWORK SIGN-IN SHEET

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3.	Carl Porman / RDC	121 W. Fireweed, Site 250, Anch	99516	276-0700	✓	✓	
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5.	Daniel L. Hild / Workman	P.O. Box 875052 Wash. AK	99687	373-3436	✓		
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**HB**

**225**

**Representative Vic Kohring  
Sponsor Statement**

**HOUSE BILL 225**

**"An Act authorizing the commissioner of fish and game to issue permits to possess, import, or export African elephants."**

HB 225 creates a commercial exhibitor permit system for possession, import, and export of African elephants.

The problem: Currently, Alaska law does not contain provisions for allowing commercial exhibition of elephants on a long-term basis. It allows traveling circus elephants to stay temporarily under an educational permit and allows zoo elephants to stay under an annually renewed educational permit. Even though educational permits have been used for elephants whose main purpose is exhibition, they are not actually appropriate for this purpose.

The current law denies legitimate business opportunities to Alaskans. Legislation is needed to allow the Department of Fish and Game a mechanism to issue permits for such animals for their intended use instead of just issuing temporary educational permits as a stop-gap measure. House Resolution 9, passed in 1994, requested the commissioner of Fish and Game to grant an extension under a temporary educational permit for a particular elephant. While this allowed the elephant to stay in Alaska for a period, it was not a permanent solution. In addition, the Board of Game has directed DF&G to develop a temporary commercial permit system, but this still does not meet the needs of Alaskan residents on a permanent basis.

The solution: This bill allows DF&G to issue permits for African elephants to persons based on reasonable conditions set by the commissioner and who meet certain criteria, including: 1)the animal is intended to be exhibited commercially; 2)adequate facilities exist to maintain the animal under positive control and humane conditions; and 3)personal injury and property damage insurance are maintained in an amount established by the commissioner of fish and game.

The Department of Fish and Game assisted in developing this bill's language and is not opposed to the bill.

Additionally, the Department of Environmental Conservation enforces the health aspects of importing animals under a DEC "Import Permit." DEC must ensure that any elephant entering the state meets all the criteria of the Federal Animal Welfare Act and meets all health requirements for international travel. The Commissioner of Fish and Game, under this bill, would have discretion to assess additional health requirements. For more information, call Kristie Leaf at 465-2186.

A M E N D M E N T

OFFERED IN THE HOUSE  
TO: HB 225

BY REPRESENTATIVE *Kott*

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- 2 Delete "African"
  
- 3 Page 1, line 5:
- 4 Delete "AFRICAN"
  
- 5 Page 1, line 7:
- 6 Delete "African"

STATE OF ALASKA  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Protecting the lifestyle of pachyderms.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

WHEREAS elephants are a form of the labor force, provide entertainment, and are used for promotional events; and

WHEREAS there is no known documentation that the African elephant transmits dangerous diseases to mankind; and

WHEREAS the children and other citizens of Alaska should not be deprived of an opportunity to an education as part of the animal world; and

WHEREAS the state should promote good business relations and enhance educational opportunities for visitors and residents to experience; and

WHEREAS a particular African elephant (Moxie) has been officially certified and approved by the United States Department of Agriculture; and

WHEREAS Alaska is the only state in the union that includes elephants on the exotic animal prohibition list;

BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives respectfully requests the Governor to ask the commissioner of fish and game to grant a second extension under an

educational permit; and be it


**FURTHER RESOLVED** that Moxie, a once orphaned elephant and star of television and screen, should be permanently exempted from the exotic animal prohibition list; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED** that any African elephant that enters the state for purposes of exhibition, entertainment, or education should be excluded from the prohibited list.

## AUTHENTICATION

The following officers of the Legislature certify that the attached enrolled resolution, HR 9 am, was passed in conformity with the requirements of the constitution and laws of the State of Alaska and the Uniform Rules of the Legislature.

Passed by the House April 18, 1994

  
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Ramona L. Barnes, Speaker of the House

ATTEST:

  
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Suzi Lowell, Chief Clerk of the House

# FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
1995 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. HB 225

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. Affected: Fish and Game  
 Title: African elephant exhibition permit BRU: Wildlife Conservation  
 Component: Wildlife Conservation  
 Sponsor: Representative Kohring  
 Requester: House Resources COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 473

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	FY 99	FY 00	FY 01
PERSONAL SERVICES						
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ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

Prepared by: Wayne Regelin, Acting Director *WR*  
 Division: Wildlife Conservation  
 Approved by Commissioner: *[Signature]*  
 Agency: Department of Fish and Game

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DATE: 3/13/95 TIME: 4:30

TO: Vic Kohring

CC: \_\_\_\_\_

FROM: Roy Baker

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IF THERE ARE ANY PROBLEMS WITH THIS TRANSMISSION, PLEASE CALL ORIGINATOR AT ABOVE NUMBER.

RETURN FAX NUMBER (907) 349-3115

### MESSAGE/COMMENTS:

*In support of HB 225  
are the following:*

*Roy Baker*

*Makine Baker*

*Don Smart*

*JWD*

*DAVID GADOMSKI*

*Thanks for your attention on this  
Roy*

Representative <sup>Vic</sup> Kohring  
State Capitol  
Room 428  
Juneau, Alaska  
Zip 99801

2-27-95.

Nancy R. Binder  
P.O. Box 671744  
Chugiak, Alaska  
39P 99587

Rec'd. 95.  
3-2 J.L.

Dear Vic Kohring -

Remember my call to you in the  
Valley, before Christmas - concerning Moxie?

I wondered, if you had a chance to read my  
article in "The Frontiersman" on the opinion page  
of their January edition of the 20th 1995.

I read James Clements article recently  
and his thanks to you for your help.

I made a call last week. In fact several  
you were not available, but Kristy Leaf - was on this  
project. I received a follow up call this A.M. from  
Kristy. It's wonderful what you are doing for Moxie and  
the Clements family. We need them in Alaska, in the  
Valley, in particular. Houston is my home in the warmer  
months, but as I do not have electricity (because of high pole costs)  
I am here, until such a time as power is made available.

Please continue, we need a bill passed that will allow  
Moxie to stay permanently. Moxie is a special elephant.  
He is perfect for Educational, Exhibits and recreational purposes.  
He is great letting children ride on his back.

The bonding with Clements is wonderful.

As you know, Clements has a dream, to have an  
Arctic Circus using local talent. This would  
be great for local talent persons, and wonderful  
for the Alaskan economy. Allow a permanent business  
permit. We need these wonderful people, here Alaska  
and Moxie is a special asset also.

Let us know, if there is anything further I  
may do to help. I will be eagerly awaiting  
the next legislation to pass the House.

P.S.  
write  
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Green  
after  
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date



TELEPHONE (907) 894-4702

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## Chugiak-Eagle River Chamber of Commerce

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*"Place of Many Places"*

March 3, 1995

TO: Senator Rick Halford  
Senator Randy Phillips  
Representative Vic Kohring  
Representative Pete Kott  
Representative Ed Willis

RE: Moxie The Elephant

Attached is a letter dated June 9, 1994 to former Commissioner of Fish & Game, Carl Rosier, which states that the Chamber supports legislative efforts which would allow Moxie to remain here as a year-round resident.

It is now our understanding that the only way that Moxie can remain in the State is to change the existing laws. We wish to reiterate our support for this effort and ask your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Dennis Johnson  
President



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*"Place of Many Places"*

June 9, 1994

Commissioner Carl Rosier  
Department of Fish & Game  
PO Box 25526  
Juneau, AK 99802

Dear Commissioner Rosier,

In July, the Chugiak-Eagle River Chamber of Commerce held the 9th annual Bear Paw Festival. Moxie the elephant was a participant at the Festival and was a wonderful attraction and great educational opportunity for the general public.

We applaud the temporary permit issued by your Department which allows Moxie to remain in the state and his owner to vend for rides. We also support a change in the law which would allow this to become a permanent condition with the provisions that:

1. restrictions could occur if a real health hazard exists to Alaska wildlife
2. permits are issued only to individuals or entities that can demonstrate the capability of properly caring for the animal

We appreciate your consideration on this matter.

Sincerely,

Al Romaszewski  
President

cc: Senator Rick Halford  
Senator Randy Phillips  
Representative Pat Carney  
Representative Pete Kott  
Representative Ed Willis

From the summer (1988-1989)

# Making a case for keeping Moxie

When I was 10 years old the Barnum & Bailey Circus came to my hometown of Wichita, Kan. Vernon Duffy, a trainer and handler for the circus, made it possible for me to ride the elephant, Ruthie.

She was so special to me and gentle as she lifted me up with her trunk. I fell in love with her instantly. I was ready to run away with the circus, so I could ride my Ruthie every day.

Looking back to that day 50 years ago, I can only guess how much Moxie means to the James Clement family.

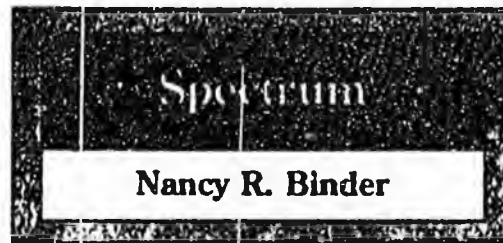
Since Moxie was orphaned and taken in by the Clements, he has been given much care and love. He is an important part of their family unit.

On the Fourth of July holiday last summer I looked up Moxie especially to watch him with the children. He was at the fireworks stand in Houston. What memories it all brought back.

I spoke briefly with Mr. Clement and asked him how could I help keep Moxie in the state. He said: Get in touch with your legislators. Write letters. We need a bill passed that will allow us to keep him.

I felt ashamed that our legislators had not passed the bill already. How can those in power be so cold to put this fine family through such torment for their magnificent stand for Moxie?

I wonder what happened to those in power who cared for the rights of the people. The recent refusal of the Board of Game to put



Moxie on the clean list is unbelievable. We have other animals on the clean list — for example, the chimpanzee which is a close relative to man and more capable of carrying diseases.

It has already been established that Moxie is not genetically related to any wildlife here to be a threat anyway. He could not exchange infections with farm animals either.

So what is the real excuse? There is no excuse whatsoever to delay any longer the placement of Moxie on the clean list. There is always room for another animal on the clean list if there is profit or power for someone.

Other animals are let into the state for purposes of profit like llamas and alpacas. Alaska is the only state that does not allow elephants on its clean list (with the exception of those elephants in the zoo).

I asked Mr. Clement how he ever trained an African elephant since I had heard they were very difficult train. He said: Very carefully. Because they are high-strung I must take it easier. The way to Moxie is through his stomach.

Mr. Clement has worked with 80 elephants in 14 years. A very important part of his life has been involved with elephants. He first came to Alaska with Moxie in 1988 on a tour.

James Clement has a dream. He came here with a dream that is being shot down. Instead of working on his dream he is writing letters.

His dream is to have an arctic circus where local talent could participate. His plans include operations in small towns as well as the large ones.

I have contacted some of our Mat-Su Borough legislators and borough politicians. Some have indicated they will work on Moxie's behalf. Rep. Vic Kohring told me he feels inclined to introduce a bill that would allow exotic pets and animals, of which category Moxie is considered. He would pattern it on a resolution passed last year in the Legislature.

I say put it to a public vote. Put it on the ballot. Let us hear from the people themselves. Those who live near Moxie. Those whose children have ridden Moxie.

There are many of us who enjoy, and would like to continue to enjoy, the appearances of Moxie throughout our state. He has become a symbol of the greatness that can be found in this last frontier. This is where some people come to do great things.

*Nancy R. Binder resides in Chugiak in the winter and calls Houston her home in the summer months.*

**OGDEN** ENTERTAINMENT SERVICES  
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March 14, 1995

Honorable Vic Kohring  
Alaska State Legislature  
State Capital  
Juneau, Alaska 99801-1182

RE: House Bill 225 Regarding Private Ownership of Elephants

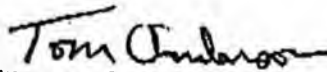
Dear Representative Kohring,

In the last couple of years, James and Marcella Clement's elephant, Moxie, has participated in activities in the Sullivan Arena. Moxie has added excitement and fun to our various events and in the case of our All Alaska Family Pet Fair, has added an educational element.

In all cases, the Clement family has been responsible and professional in their business dealings with Moxie and from our observations, have kept Moxie well fed and healthy.

We urge you to continue your efforts to allow the Clements to privately own and maintain Moxie in Alaska. From our perspective, we do not see any downside for citizens of Alaska.

Sincerely yours,

  
Tom Anderson  
General Manager

TA/vg

3-7-95

Vic Kohring Representative

House Bill 225 which allows the  
import & Export of African Elephants  
for exhibit & business educational purposes  
would be good to allow Moxie &  
James Clement Family to stay in Alaska  
I give my support to this bill

Sincerely

Krista H. R.

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REPRESENTATIVE VIC KOHRING  
DISTRICT 26

## MEMORANDUM

To: Representative Joe Green  
Chair, House Resources Committee

From: Representative Vic Kohring 

Date: March 7, 1995

Re: Request for Hearing  
House Bill 225, Permits for African Elephants

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I respectfully request a hearing on House Bill 225 in the House Resources Committee. This bill authorizes the commissioner of fish and game to issue permits to possess, import, or export African elephants. I believe the bill proposes a reasonable system for allowing elephants to stay in Alaska for commercial exhibition purposes based on certain health, safety, and liability criteria.

Attached please find a copy of the bill, a sponsor statement on the bill, House Resolution 9 resolution which passed unanimously last session, and other letters of support.

Thank you for your consideration.



# Alaska State Legislature

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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### REPRESENTATIVE VIC KOHRING

465-2186

## MEMORANDUM

To: All Legislators

From: Representative Vic Kohring *Vic*

Date: March 7, 1995

Re: House Bill 225, Permits for African Elephants

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I have introduced a bill which authorizes the commissioner of fish and game to issue permits to possess, import, or export African elephants.

Currently, Alaska law does not contain provisions for allowing commercial exhibition of elephants on a long-term basis, it only offers temporary educational permits. While the House unanimously passed a resolution of support last session, this offered only a temporary permit extension. House Bill 225 proposes a permit for commercial exhibition on a year-round basis, while also requiring conditions to ensure the safety and health of the animal and the public.

Attached please find my sponsor statement outlining in more detail the current problem and the solution offered by House Bill 225.

I encourage your support of this bill and welcome your co-sponsorship.

If you have any questions, please call Kristie Leaf, 465-2195.

Ms. Marcella  
PO Box 874611

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746-6633

To Vic

Wasilla AK 99687

Distribution Affiliation Reg Voter  
60 Y

Date POM Sent Constituency Bill Number Response  
03/06/95 N HB 225 Supports

Subject

I SUPPORT HB 225. PLEASE PASS THIS BILL.

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Ms. Roxanne  
HC02 Box 3797

Landers

746-6864

To Vic

Palmer AK 99645

Distribution Affiliation Reg Voter  
09 Y

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03/07/95 N HB 225 Supports

Subject

MOXIE'S OWNERS ARE RUNNING OUT OF TIME. WE NEED A PUSH ON TO GET THIS LEGISLATION MOVING AND PASSED. EVERYONE LOVES MOXIE. PLEASE HELP.

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Ms. Janet  
PO Box 221363

Burts

345-3720

To Vic

Anchorage AK 99522

Distribution Affiliation Reg Voter  
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Subject

I AM A MOTHER AND I FEEL THAT MOXIE IS NOT A HEALTH RISK. I HAVE RIDDEN MOXIE, MY CHILDREN HAVE RIDDEN MOXIE AND I THINK BEING AROUND AN ELEPHANT LIKE THIS IS EDUCATIONAL FOR CHILDREN AND DO FEEL THAT MOXIE IS A HEALTH RISK, ESPECIALLY FOR TB. I'M IN FULL SUPPORT.

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Mr Walt  
840 Rockside

Fergus

376-6907

To Vic

Distribution Affiliation Reg Voter  
51 U

Wasilla AK 99654

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I SUPPORT ELEPHANTS IN ALASKA. I WOULD LIKE TO SEE THE STATE PROVIDE FOR OWNERSHIP OF ELEPHANTS.

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Mr Bert  
901 No Shore Drive

Hall

373-4611

To Vic

Distribution Affiliation Reg Voter  
51 U

Wasilla AK 99654

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IT JUST MAKES GOOD COMMON SENSE. ANY PERCEIVED RISKS ARE EASILY OVERSHADOWED BY THE GOOD PROVIDED - ESPECIALLY TO CHILDREN.

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Ms June  
POB 870797

Robinette

376-2092

To Vic

Distribution Affiliation Reg Voter  
47 U

Wasilla AK 99687

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I DO SUPPORT A PERMIT FOR MOXIE TO LIVE OUT HIS LIFE IN ALASKA AS AN EDUCATIONAL FEATURE FOR CHILDREN, ESPECIALLY, BUT FOR ALL OF US WHO ADMIRE HIM AND HIS KEEPER.

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THOMAS R. WICKWIRE

3730 UNIVERSITY AVENUE SOUTH

FAIRBANKS, ALASKA 99709

(907) 474-0068

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MAR 28 1995

March 24, 1995

Representative Joe Green  
Co-Chairman, House Resources Committee  
Room 114  
State Capitol  
Juneau, Alaska 99801-1182

Dear Representative Green:

I happened to see a copy of HB-225 (these days, once you get a fax, you get anything from any place). I'm not in the wildlife management or zoo business, but I can't see the State interest here.

I saw a forum on Public Television recently on what measures State government must take in the next two to three years in order to avoid severe damage to Alaska's economy because of shrinking oil revenues.

How much will it cost the Fish & Game Commissioner to determine that the requirements are met by the applicant (assuming he won't just take the applicant's word for it); how many times per year; why an African elephant, but not a Bengal tiger, kangaroo or platypus? Did someone in the education field decide that Alaskan children are missing an important part of their education by not seeing an African elephant?

I just don't get it.

Sincerely,

*Thomas R. Wickwire*  
Thomas R. Wickwire

TRW:bf

c:

March 6, 1995

Representative Vic Kohring  
State Capitol  
Room 428  
Juneau, Alaska  
99801

Regarding ~~House~~ Bill 225; I am  
wishing the passing of this Bill  
will be accomplished and that  
the Clements family will be  
allowed to keep Moxie the elephant  
and be successful in their business  
ventures.

Sincerely,

Ethel C. Brown

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- | NAME:                 | ADDRESS:                            | Date:        |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| 1. Joe Eaton          | Wichita Falls TX                    | 8/6/93       |
| 2. Steve Hatcher      | 47th Gwy. Co Ft Wainwright AK       | 8/6/93       |
| 3. Donna Samuel       | 312 Willowood Gln                   |              |
| 4. The "Greaster"     | P.O. Box 43078 Fbks AK              | 8-6-93       |
| 5. Billie Pritch      | 841 10th Ave                        | 8-10-93      |
| 6. Kenneth W. Rink    | 1110 Hayes Fbks AK                  | 8-6-93       |
| 7. Hattie P. Rink     | 1110 Hayes Fbks AK                  | 99709 8-6-93 |
| 8. [Signature]        | PO Box 70281 Fbki AK                | 99707 8/6/93 |
| 9. Alan & Ma Donald   | 131 ADAK ST FBKS AK                 |              |
| 10. Kave Moore        | 1331 23rd Fbks AK                   | 8-7-93       |
| 11. [Signature]       | 1331 23rd FBKS AK                   | 8-7-93       |
| 12. [Signature]       | Box 72992 FBKS AK                   | 99711 8-7-93 |
| 13. The Nelands       | Eielson AFB AK                      | 99702 8-7-93 |
| 14. Barbara Seward    | P.O. Box 876150, Wasilla AK         | 99687 8-7-93 |
| 15. MARSA HANSON      | 230 S. ... C. 1/5 Fbks AK           | 8-7-93       |
| 16. Kim Simon         | 2429 S. Barnette Fbks AK            | 99701 8-7-93 |
| 17. AVTOM SEFEYS      | 3230 HULL A. FBKS                   | 99701 8-7-93 |
| 18. [Signature]       | PO Box 72966 FBKS                   | 8/7/93       |
| 19. Gail Osborn       | P.O. Box 82110 FBKS AK              | 99708 8/7/93 |
| 20. Bobbie Jo Locksey | 242 N. SANTA CLAUS LN N.P. AK       | 99709        |
| 21. MICHAEL O Locksey |                                     |              |
| 22. Michael O. McCall | 2016 WESTON FBKS AK                 | 8/7/93       |
| 23. Renee Kuhn        | 2016 WESTERN FBKS AK                | 8-7-93       |
| 24. [Signature]       | 2016 WESTERN DR. FBKS AK            | 8-7-93       |
| 25. Diane Blum        | 21054 27th INF DIV LT Wainwright AK | 8-7-93       |
| 26. BARRY KATHUM      | 1325 22 Ave FBKS 99701              | 8-7-93       |
| 27. Teresa Kathum     | 1325 22 Ave FBKS 99701              | 8-7-93       |
| 28. [Signature]       | 1471 Birchwood Drive FBKS AK        | 99709 8/7/93 |
| 29. [Signature]       | 2 mi Chena Rd Springs FBKS AK       |              |
| 30. Sissi Koss        | W                                   | W            |

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|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------|
| 1. Harry Frank          | Box 61204 FBKS AK 99706              | 8-9-93 |
| 2. [unclear] Shagan     | 710 245th Ave                        | 8-9-93 |
| 3. [unclear] Power      | 710 245th Ave FBKS AK 99709          | 8-9-93 |
| 4. [unclear] Mancik     | 462 Carlton Fairbanks 99701          | 8-9-93 |
| 5. [unclear] [unclear]  | [unclear] Fairbanks 99701            | 8/9/93 |
| 6. [unclear] [unclear]  | 2nd St Fairbanks AK 99701            | 8-9-93 |
| 7. Sandra [unclear]     | 130 Barakat FBKS AK 99701            | 8-9-93 |
| 8. [unclear] & William  | 160 E 6th Ave North Pole 99702       | 8-9-93 |
| 9. [unclear] Herman     | P.O. Box 71846 FBKS AK 99701         | 8/9/93 |
| 10. Cathy Morton        | egle river Alaska                    |        |
| 11. LAWRENCE ROUSSIN    | 1261 ARCTIC FOX NORTH POLE, AK 99705 | 8/9/93 |
| 12. [unclear] [unclear] | 524 Dale FBKS AK 99709               | 8/9/93 |
| 13. [unclear] [unclear] | 1755 Latao CM                        | 8/9/93 |
| 14. Keshi Muter         | 3114 Backer #6 North Pole AK 99705   | 8-9-93 |
| 15. Ruby Shover         | 2011 Capitol Ave Fairbanks, AK 99709 | 8-9-93 |
| 16. Ruth P. McUlcham    | PO BOX 74892 FBKS AK 99709           |        |
| 17. Betty M. Cochran    | PO Box 74892 FBKS AK 99709           |        |
| 18. Mike Nash           | 4025 Fairbank Ave FBKS 99709         |        |
| 19. Mary Sweeney        | 816 ESRP Rd FBKS 99709               |        |
| 20. Michelle Linden     | P.O. Box 10010 FBKS 99710            |        |
| 21. Mary Ann McHae      | 205 B Street FBKS 99701              |        |
| 22. [unclear] [unclear] | 20029 Sammie #509 FBKS 99709         |        |
| 23. [unclear] [unclear] | P.O. Box 70994 FBKS 99707            |        |
| 24. T.R. Howland        | St WW 99703                          |        |
| 25. Fred Karella        | FBK AK 99709                         |        |
| 26. Kelli [unclear]     | FBKS AK 99709                        |        |
| 27. [unclear] Althoff   | FBKS AK 99709                        |        |
| 28. Ken Hill            | FBKS AK 99705                        |        |
| 29. Ollie Moore         | 4010-2 Pine St. St WW AK 99703       |        |
| 30. [unclear] [unclear] | 4155 Cranberry St. FBKS AK 99709     |        |

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1. Nancy E Hamilton	4155 Cranberry Trks. AK	8/10/93
2. Nancy (Janet)	Palmer AK	8/10/93
3. Jean S. Lamarr	Box 71498 Fbks. 99707	8-10-93
4. Dave Peronto	4421 Market Ct #6 Ft Wainwright	8/10/93
5. Tim Barnes	PO Box 84413 FBX 99708	8/10/93
6. Paul Pick	433 Candy Dr. FSK 99701	8/10/93
7. Renato	482-1142 NP 99705	
8. M STANTON	456-2141	
9. Steve Morris	Mile 77 Rich Hwy Fbks 99701	8/10/93
10. Laura Morris	Mile 77 Rich Hwy. 99701	8-10-93
11. Tim Myers	298 W 5th North Pole	8-10-93
12. Larry R. Dart	P.O. Box 57007 North Pole AK	8-10-93
13. Cole Baurick	3414 Rosie Creek Rd Fbks AK	8/10/93
14. Corrine Baurick	3414 Rosie Creek Rd Fbks AK	8/10/93
15. Steve Anderson	PO Box 84187 Fbks 99708	8/10/93
16. Billie Broad	1021 Pasque Fbks 99702	8/11/93
17. Sharon Anderson	2006 E. Lule Fbks 99707	8/11/93
18. Ray Dunne	P.O. Box 84187 Fbks 99708	8/11/93
19. Angela Thomas	Box 5552c Fbks AK 99711	8/11/93
20. Ruben Larranaga	520 Wilcox Ave. Fbks AK	8/11/93
21. Michael R. Ritter	8 mile. m. m. h. y. Dam. P.O. Box 80953 College	
22. Priscilla Alan Buren	1092 Candamar Rd Fairbanks AK 99709	8-11-93
23. Franklin Silas	P.O. Box 53 Minto AK 99758	
24. Jackie O'Brien	870 Hildner N. Pole, AK 99705	
25. Elaine Shires	1918 W Athena NP AK 99705	
26. Carl Lamott	Box 58352 Fairbanks AK 99711	
27. Belas Lewis	2130 Otter Creek North Pole AK 99705	
28. M. K. Kase	P.O. B. 58397 Fbks, AK 99711	
29. Ben Allen	P.O. Box 50551 North Pole Alaska 99705	8-11-93
30. Jill Pedersen	1757 Rose Rd Fbks AK 99709	

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- | NAME:                     | ADDRESS:                            | 99740 Date: |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1. Paula Brock            | PO Box 10701 Fairbanks              | 8/6/93      |
| 2. [Signature]            | 819 20th TAF REC AVE                | 7 AUG 93    |
| 3. [Signature]            | 2100 Sunflower N.P                  | 8-7-93      |
| 4. [Signature]            | 987 SHEEP CR. RD                    | 8-7-93      |
| 5. [Signature]            | PO BOX 81754 FBK                    | 8-7-93      |
| 6. [Signature]            | 11008 Scenic SP Fbk                 | 8/7/93      |
| 7. [Signature]            | 1365 University Ct FB AK            | 8/7/93      |
| 8. [Signature]            | 1218 Sutton Loop Fairbanks AK       | 7 Aug 93    |
| 9. [Signature]            | 1812 Hilling AVE Fairbanks AK       | Aug 7, 93   |
| 10. [Signature]           | 5134 H Kovich St EAFB AK 99702      | Aug 7 93    |
| 11. [Signature]           | 4115 8th St Ft. Wainwright AK 99703 | Aug 7 93    |
| 12. [Signature]           | P.O. Box 5200 N. Pole 99705         | 7 Aug 93    |
| 13. [Signature]           | " " " "                             | " "         |
| 14. [Signature]           | 550 Woodlawn Dr Fbks                | 8-7-93      |
| 15. [Signature]           | 4210 6th St Wainwright              | 8-7-93      |
| 16. CAREY Bliss           | 1727 AVROAA DR. FBKS                | 8-7-93      |
| 17. [Signature]           | 512 KAKKAN FBKS, AK                 | 8-7-93      |
| 18. [Signature]           | 418 Austin                          | 8-7-93      |
| 19. [Signature]           | 818 AUSTIN                          | 8-7-93      |
| 20. [Signature]           | 4408 3 Cabann Hills                 | 8-7-93      |
| 21. CLIFF A. Hudson       | 322 SLATER DR. W. FBKS 99701        | 8-7-93      |
| 22. Shandi Jackie Thomas  | 4119 6th St #6 Ft. Wainwright, AK   | 8-7-93      |
| 23. STEVEN M MOOSE        | P.O. BOX 70671 FBKS AK 99707        | 8-7-93      |
| 24. Mike & Tammy Williams | P.O. Box 56740 N.P. AK 99705        | 8-7-93      |
| 25. Misty Richards        | 1612 500th N Ave Fairbanks AK       | 8-7-93      |
| 26. Dustin Richards       | ↑ 8-7-93                            |             |
| 27. Richard Dillow        | 1211 Sutton Loop Fairbanks AK 99701 | 7 Aug 93    |
| 28. Barbara Dillow        | 1211 Sutton Loop Fairbanks AK 99701 | 7 Aug 93    |
| 29. Joli Hobbrook         | Edel River Alaska                   | 8-7-93      |
| 30. [Signature]           | FBX AK                              | 8/7/93      |

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2. Shirley Krizan	Fairbanks AK	8-7-93
3. Francis M. Greenan	Minot, AK	8-7-93
4. Donal Han	Fairbanks AK	8-7-93
5. Lee Bortner	FBKS AK	8/7/93
6. Ericka A. Stokard	Fairbanks, AK	8-7-93
7. Charles Miller & Family	Dot Lake AK	8-7-93
8. [Signature]	Phka	8-7-93
9. [Signature]	FBX	8-7-93
10. Ursula Gronewald		8-8-93
11. Hillary Hooper	Fairbanks, AK	8-8-93
12. Bill Johnson	Fairbanks, AK	8-8-93
13. Tom Swartz	Trapper CK, AK	8-8-93
14. Beeline Daniels	Trapper Creek 99683	8-8-93
15. Anne Bull	FBKS AK 99707	8/8/93
16. Nancy Condit Jones	Fairbanks 99709	8-8-93
17. [Signature]	Somewhere AK	8-8-93
18. [Signature]	FAIRBANKS	8-8-93
19. [Signature]	N. Pole	8-8-93
20. Mammie & Jimmie	FAT AK 99712	8-8-93
21. [Signature]	Box 78734 FBK AK 99707	8-8-93
22. Kathy Murphree	FBKS, AK 99709	8-8-93
23. [Signature]	" " 99709	8-8-93
24. [Signature]	Fairbanks	8-8-93
25. [Signature]	FAIRBANKS	8-8-93
26. Dan M. Kee	FBKS AK	8-8-93
27. Donald M. McKee	" "	" "
28. [Signature]	Fairbanks AK	8-8-93
29. Janet Funderburg	Fairbanks AK	8-8-93
30. Robin Jeffery	Big Lake	8-8-93

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| 1. Andrew Rossow      | 2568 Eganway North Pole AK 99705         | 8-8-93 |
| 2. Yvonne Douglas     | Fairbanks AK                             |        |
| 3. Rhonda Pitter      | Fairbanks AK                             |        |
| 4. Annu Truelson      |  | 8-8-93 |
| 5. Kathy Martin       | 3802 Mitchell FBKS AK                    | 8-8-93 |
| 6. Mary S. Galt       | Fairbanks                                |        |
| 7. Bob Luke           | P.O. Box 71650, Ft. (AK 99707)           |        |
| 8. Pamela S. Strata   | #1149 Bainbridge Blvd Fairbanks AK 99701 |        |
| 9. Dorene Kersch      | P.O. Box FOES2 FBKS AK 99707             |        |
| 10. Delvinga          | Box 342 Barrow, AK 99723                 | 8-8-93 |
| 11. Fred Hughes       | 318 Charles St Ftks 99701                |        |
| 12. Dale Beach        | 318 Charles St Ftks AK 99701             |        |
| 13. Diane Touery      | 4119 8th Street #3 Fort, (AK 99707)      |        |
| 14. Tammy Curtis      | 1000 L. 4th Street FBKS, AK 99707        |        |
| 15. Sandra Pearson    | 114 Peppering Pkys AK 99709              |        |
| 16. Barbara Small     | 545 Simwood Fairbanks, AK                |        |
| 17. Betty Baker       | 1321 Karen Way #28 FBK AK 99701          |        |
| 18. Molly V. Jones    | 138 10th #2 FBK AK 99701                 |        |
| 19. Martha Willey     | 318 Charles St FBK AK 99701              |        |
| 20. [Signature]       | 4711 Eng 20 Ft W.W. AK 99707             |        |
| 21. Bryan [Signature] | 316 WEDGWOOD DR. #125 FBKS               |        |
| 22. [Signature]       | PO BOX 1225 Palmer 99615                 |        |
| 23. [Signature]       | Box 81201 Ftks AK                        |        |
| 24. [Signature]       | PO 876150 Wasilla 99687                  |        |
| 25. [Signature]       | 310 876150 Wasilla 99687                 |        |
| 26. [Signature]       | PO 100156 Ftks 99706                     |        |
| 27. [Signature]       | PO 10156 FBKS 99706                      |        |
| 28. [Signature]       | P.O. Box 81595 FBK 99708                 |        |
| 29. [Signature]       | 5197 A Arctic Ave. Ftks 99707            |        |
| 30. [Signature]       | PO BOX 84513 Ftks                        |        |

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| 1. <i>Ann Lally</i>          | <i>FAK AK</i>                                     | <i>8/13/93</i>  |
| 2. <i>Ernst E. Campbell</i>  | <i>1277 Holmes Rd N.P. AK</i>                     | <i>8/13/93</i>  |
| 3. <i>Cherise Newman</i>     | <i>1478 25th Ave #4 FAKS</i>                      | <i>8/13/93</i>  |
| 4. <i>Yvonne Klavne</i>      | <i>Box 7541 de FAKS AK</i>                        | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 5. <i>Ellen M Holohost</i>   | <i>11645 Old Anchorage 99709</i>                  | <i>8-14-93</i>  |
| 6. <i>Shirley Ne Rausche</i> | <i>P.O. Box 72159 99707</i>                       | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 7. <i>Ken Brown</i>          | <i>PO Box 72119 FAKS 99707</i>                    | <i>8-14-93</i>  |
| 8. <i>Mari Ferguson</i>      | <i>P.O. Box 72119 FAKS 99707</i>                  | <i>8-14-93</i>  |
| 9. <i>Teresa Sunderland</i>  | <i>PO Box 55942 N. Pole AK 99705</i>              | <i>488-4558</i> |
| 10. <i>Jinda Thurtte</i>     | <i>PO Box 61054 FAKS AK 99706</i>                 | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 11. <i>Thomas C. Jurnell</i> | <i>224 ILLINOIS #3 FAKS AK 99701</i>              | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 12. <i>Paula L. Linn</i>     | <i>P.O. Box 58889 FAKS 99711</i>                  | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 13. <i>Janet Brown</i>       | <i>936 Cherry St Anchorage 99504</i>              | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 14. <i>Dr. O.A. Swanson</i>  | <i>50803 Hercules Circle Fairbanks 99702</i>      | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 15. <i>Elaine Nash</i>       | <i>5791 Chena Small Tracts FAKS 99709</i>         | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 16. <i>Charlotte Jewell</i>  | <i>Box 535 Skagway Alaska 99840</i>               | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 17. <i>Maathe Nelson</i>     | <i>1721 University Ave. #C-11 Fairbanks 99709</i> |                 |
| 18. <i>Cynthia D. Mast</i>   | <i>5190 Amburst Dr #25 Fairbanks 99709</i>        | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 19. <i>John Ray</i>          | <i>2449 Hill Rd FAKS</i>                          |                 |
| 20. <i>Paula Lawson</i>      | <i>1159 W. 124th ST SEATTLE WA</i>                | <i>98144</i>    |
| 21. <i>Eric R. Madsen</i>    | <i>409 State St. 119 Fairbanks 99701</i>          | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 22. <i>Eric Madsen</i>       | <i>409 State St Fairbanks 99701</i>               |                 |
| 23. <i>Kimberly Furrer</i>   | <i>1102 HAMMILL AVE FAKS 99701</i>                | <i>8-14-93</i>  |
| 24. <i>Wanda Louper</i>      | <i>PO Box 55915 N. Pole 99705</i>                 | <i>8-14-93</i>  |
| 25. <i>Mary Mackay</i>       | <i>PO Box 55700 N. Pole AK 99705</i>              | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 26. <i>Mary E. Samuel</i>    | <i>PO Box 82493 FAKS AK 99708</i>                 | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 27. <i>Arden Simmons</i>     | <i>PO Box 84825 FAKS AK 99708</i>                 | <i>8/14/93</i>  |
| 28. <i>Travis Topp</i>       | <i>POB 57050 North Pole AK 99705</i>              | <i>8-14-93</i>  |
| 29. <i>Ernie Barrick</i>     | <i>2012 Sandvick # 307 FAKS AK</i>                | <i>99701</i>    |
| 30. <i>Allison Furrer</i>    | <i>1631 OLIVE AVE 99701</i>                       | <i>458-7525</i> |

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| 1. Conda Frantz        | 1197 Y. durt St FAKS AK 99709  | 8-11-93 |
| 2. Thoma Fankle        | 5142 DARTON Eielson            | 8-12-93 |
| 3. Thoma Fankle        | 7143 Badger Rd FIP             | 8-12-93 |
| 4. Strickland          | 4339 QD St #3 FUTA             | 8-18-93 |
| 5. Ron Orr             | Box 96 Turnouch, Ak 99681      | 8-18-93 |
| 6. Theresa Mauer       | 225 Bainbridge Fairbanks 99701 | 8-12-93 |
| 7. Roxana Sprague      | 5101 Electra Fbks 99709        | 8-12-93 |
| 8. Jean Leonard        | 5101 Electra Fbks 99709        | 8-13-93 |
| 9. Louise Huelle       | Louise Huelle 916 Clear 99715  | 8-13-93 |
| 10. Kris Sha           | 713 Happy Sack St              | 8-13-93 |
| 11. Cuneo              | Box 51 E. Corsey               | 8-13-93 |
| 12. Jim McKeen         | Box 110 of Selchou             | 8-13-93 |
| 13. Bernard McKeen     | " " "                          | " " "   |
| 14. Jim Klanchak       | PO Box 81176 Fairbanks 99708   | 8-13-93 |
| 15. Dana McKenzie      | 5020 E. 9th Ave Anch. AK       |         |
| 16. Deborah Mitchell   | 1743 Bridgeway Fbks            | 8/13/93 |
| 17. D. C. F.           | 1203 Sourdough Fbks            | 8/13/93 |
| 18. Ed P. Howard       | Box 5 Williams                 | 8-13-93 |
| 19. Bruce Stande       | Box 164 Cantwell AK            | 8-13-93 |
| 20. Peter Stoddard     | 416 JUNEAU FBX                 | 8/13/93 |
| 21. Debra B. Knight    | PO Box 73862 FBX               | 8/13/93 |
| 22. Chuck Klimovchenko | 3820 Ardlock Dr                | 8-13-93 |
| 23. David Rusk         | 626 Nichols Ln Fbks            | 8/13/93 |
| 24. Joseph L. Thomas   | 379 Dunwoody St #13 FAKS       | 8/13/93 |
| 25. J. D. P.           | 1603 Rowsewell St Fbks         | 8/13/93 |
| 26. J. D. P.           | N. Polo AK                     | 8/13/93 |
| 27. Jay S. B.          | 3420 Virginia St Northside     | 8/13/93 |
| 28. Richard O. Fenwick | 1620 Washington St #69 FAKS    | 8-13-93 |
| 29. J. S. B.           | 645 1st St Palmer              | 8/13/93 |
| 30. Angela D. Arcola   | 1045 1st St Palmer 99645       | 8-13-93 |

Moxie the elephant and his family are becoming permanent residents of Alaska to enrich the lives of the people of Alaska through the entertainment they bring. However, a certain agency of the State of Alaska has indicated they might not allow Moxie to live in Alaska yearround. If this becomes the case we may need your support.

If you support Moxies right to permanent residency in the State of Alaska please sign below.

NAME:	ADDRESS:	Date:
1. <u>James M. Smith</u>	<u>POB 60988 FBKS</u>	<u>8/14/93</u>
2. <u>Robert D. Klein</u>	<u>P.O. 56646 N.P.A.K. 99705</u>	<u>8/14/93</u>
3. <u>Debra L. Kokone</u>	<u>P.O. Box 544410 N.P.A.K. 997105</u>	<u>8/14/93</u>
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STATE LEGISLATURE  
STATE CAPITOL  
JUNEAU AK 99801

3/10/95

WE THE UNDERSIGNED SUPPORT  
HOUSE BILL 225

"KEEP ELEPHANTS IN ALASKA"

NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE #	SIGNATURE
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W. Kitter	Wasilla, AK 99654	376-1018	Walter Kitter
W. H. H. H.	Wasilla AK 99654	376-1057	Joseph H. H.
W. H. H. H.	Wasilla AK 99654	844-7571	W. H. H. H.
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W. H. H. H.	PO Box 500990 Big Lake AK 99652	872-7599	Doug Sharp
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W. H. H. H.	PO Box 520720 Big Lake, AK 99652	376-7930	W. H. H. H.
W. H. H. H.	Wasilla, AK 99654	376-9166	W. H. H. H.
W. H. H. H.	PO Box 879107 Wasilla AK	376-3992	Bessie Huffman
W. H. H. H.	Wasilla AK 99654	373-1227	W. H. H. H.
W. H. H. H.	PO Box 520115 Big Lake AK	892-6991	W. H. H. H.
Nancy Rogers	PO Box 520117 Big Lake AK	812-8484	Nancy Rogers
Billy Gratias	850 W. BR. AK 99654	376-3610	Billy Gratias

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**HB**

**256**

# Alaska State Legislature

REPRESENTATIVE  
PETER KELLY

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While in Juneau  
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House District 31

## House Of Representatives

### Sponsor Statement

#### House Bill 256

House Bill 256 is a promotional venture to attract Alaskan's and visitors to buy fishing licenses and join in the fun of fishing in Alaska. Although the bill is primarily oriented towards sport fishing, getting individuals into the act of fishing is another way of helping them learn the importance of Alaska's fishery resources.

Fishing is Fun Week is a National event with it's own promotional energy. HB 256 would bring Alaska into the fun event.

It is the intent of the sponsor of this legislation to increase the participation of Alaskan's as well as visitors to Alaska in the appreciation of Alaska's bountiful fishing opportunities. HB 256 will get new anglers hooked on fishing, and seeks to reel back in those who have gotten away from the activity.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 256**

**IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA**

**NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION**

**BY REPRESENTATIVES KELLY, Austerman**

Introduced: 3/15/95

Referred: House Special Committee on Fisheries, Resources, Finance

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 "An Act authorizing the commissioner of fish and game to establish free sport  
2 fishing days."

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 \* Section 1. AS 16.05.400 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

5 (c) The commissioner may, by regulation, designate not more than two days  
6 each year on which a person, whether a resident or nonresident, may engage in sport  
7 fishing without having obtained a sport fishing license or an anadromous king salmon  
8 tag.

# FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
1995 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. HB256

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. Affected: Fish and Game  
 Title: An Act authorizing the Commissioner of Fish and Game to establish a free sport fishing BRU: Division of Sport Fish  
Representative Kelly Component: Sport Fisheries  
 Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Requester: House Special Committee on Fisheries COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 464

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	FY 99	FY 00	FY 01
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES						
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )						
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**FUND SOURCE** (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1006 GF/MHTIA						
Other						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

Estimate of any current year (FY95) cost: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**POSITIONS**

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

**ANALYSIS:** (Attach a separate page if necessary)

Assumptions: Any initial loss of license sale revenue will be compensated by new anglers that result from these activities.

Prepared by: John Burke *Mark Elmer for John Burke*  
 Division: Sport Fish  
 Approved by Commissioner: *Frank*  
 Agency: Fish and Game

Phone: 465-6187  
 Date: 2/16/95  
 Date: 3-24-95

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## DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME

### POSITION PAPER

Bill Number: HB256

Sponsor: Representative Kelly

Bill Title: An Act authorizing the commissioner of fish and game to establish free sport fishing days.

Department Position: Support.

This legislation would give the commissioner of fish and game the authority to designate not more than two days each year on which a person, resident or nonresident, may sport fish without a fishing license or king salmon tag. A number of states have free fishing days associated with National Fishing Week Activities and other recreational fishing educational activities. Free fishing days allow people who would like to try fishing an opportunity to do so without the necessity of purchasing a license. The legislative intent is that recreational anglers in Alaska have this same opportunity.

Free fishing days offer people who do not ordinarily fish the opportunity to experience fishing without the associated expense of a license. A free fishing day in conjunction with National Fishing Week activities or winter fishing carnivals can serve to introduce or reacquaint people with recreational fishing; people who might otherwise not participate because of the expense of a license. Free fishing days are an effective centerpiece for department sponsored or assisted aquatic education programs. These programs primarily focus on the conservation concepts and angler ethics required to promote a sustained yield from recreational fishing resources.

It is important that the commissioner have the flexibility to designate the days in question. Traditionally National Fishing Week occurs in early June during the peak of most king salmon fisheries. Many of these fisheries are intensely fished and fully utilized. It is possible that a free fishing day would create a derby-like situation in these already crowded fisheries. This may not be a positive effect as a disproportionate number of fish might be harvested in such a situation. This could significantly complicate management and perhaps even the intended allocation of harvest. It is also possible that the department could lose significant revenue from the loss of king salmon tag sales. Though this scenario is possible, we do not think it is likely. In any event if such a situation developed, the commissioner could chose

to designate the free fishing day after the peak king salmon fishery.

Initial license and king salmon tag sale opportunities that are lost due to a free fishing day should be compensated by the new anglers that result from these activities.

We feel that free fishing days would not only result in more recreational anglers, but could also indirectly result in a more informed public relative to ethical angling practices and the conservation concepts necessary to promote a sustained yield from the recreational fishing resource.

Commissioner's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*Frank Re*

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*3.24.55*



## National Fishing Week Steering Committee

Field Office: 2944 Patrick Henry Drive, Suite 15  
Falls Church, VA 22044-2926 • 703/532-7730 • Fax 703/241-9717

The following states have provided the dates for their 1994 Free Fishing Day(s). In general, this allows the public to fish without a license. *Individual states may place some restrictions and other regulations may apply.* Check with your State Fish and Game Agency or the National Fishing Week Steering Committee for specific state information.



### NATIONAL FISHING WEEK JUNE 6-12, 1994 FREE FISHING DAYS

Alabama:	June 11	Nevada:	June 11
Arizona:	June 11	New Hampshire:	June 4
Arkansas:	June 10 - 12	New Jersey:	June 11 - 12
California:	June 11 & Sept 24	New Mexico:	June 4 & Sept 24
Colorado:	June 4 - 5	New York:	June 25 - 26
Connecticut:	June 11	North Dakota:	June 11 - 12
Delaware:	TBA	Ohio:	June 4 - 5
Florida:	June 11 - 12	Oklahoma:	June 11 - 12
Georgia:	June 11 - 12 & Sept 24	Oregon:	June 11
Idaho:	June 11	Pennsylvania:	June 4 - 5
Illinois:	June 10 - 13	Rhode Island:	June 4 - 5
Indiana:	June 11 - 12	South Carolina:	June 11 - 12
Iowa:	June 10 - 12	South Dakota:	May 21 - 22
Kansas:	June 11 - 12	Tennessee:	June 11
Kentucky:	June 4 - 5	Texas:	June 4
Louisiana:	June 11 - 12	Utah:	June 11
Maine:	June 19 & Feb 20	Vermont:	June 11
Maryland:	June 4 & 11, July 4	Virginia:	June 4 - 5
Massachusetts:	June 18 - 19	Washington:	June 11 - 12
Michigan:	June 11 - 12	Washington, D.C.:	June 6 - 12
Minnesota:	June 11 - 12	West Virginia:	June 11 - 12
Missouri:	June 11 - 12	Wisconsin:	June 5

THE NATIONAL FISHING WEEK STEERING COMMITTEE  
2944 PATRICK HENRY DRIVE  
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FALLS CHURCH, VA 22044-2926  
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Not all states planning to sponsor Free Fishing Day(s) have approved dates and are listed as "TBA."

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To <i>M Kramer</i>	From <i>Ron Johnson</i>
Co.	Co.
Dept.	Phone #
Fax # <i>452-5428</i>	Fax #

Midnight Sun Flycasters  
P.O. Box 81031  
Fairbanks, Alaska 99708

March 13, 1995

Dear Sirs,

The Midnight Sun Flycasters would like you to consider introducing legislation that would offer individuals an opportunity to fish in Alaska without a fishing license for at least two days out of the year. It appears that many of the lower 48 states have such provisions for people in their states.

Free fishing days are an important promotional tool across the country. The purpose of free fishing days is to encourage new people to get acquainted with the great sport of fishing. Alaska could promote the excellent fishing opportunities that we enjoy. This event could also promote tourism and economic benefits for our state.

The Midnight Sun Flycasters of Fairbanks Alaska is a nonprofit Flyfishing club in the interior of Alaska. Our purpose and desire is to promote and work for the betterment of sport fishing, to encourage and advocate conservation of resources in our lands, streams and lakes and to promote the education of the public in regards to our wonderful heritage of sport fishing.

We would like to see these days take place during National Fishing Week. Thankyou for considering our desire.

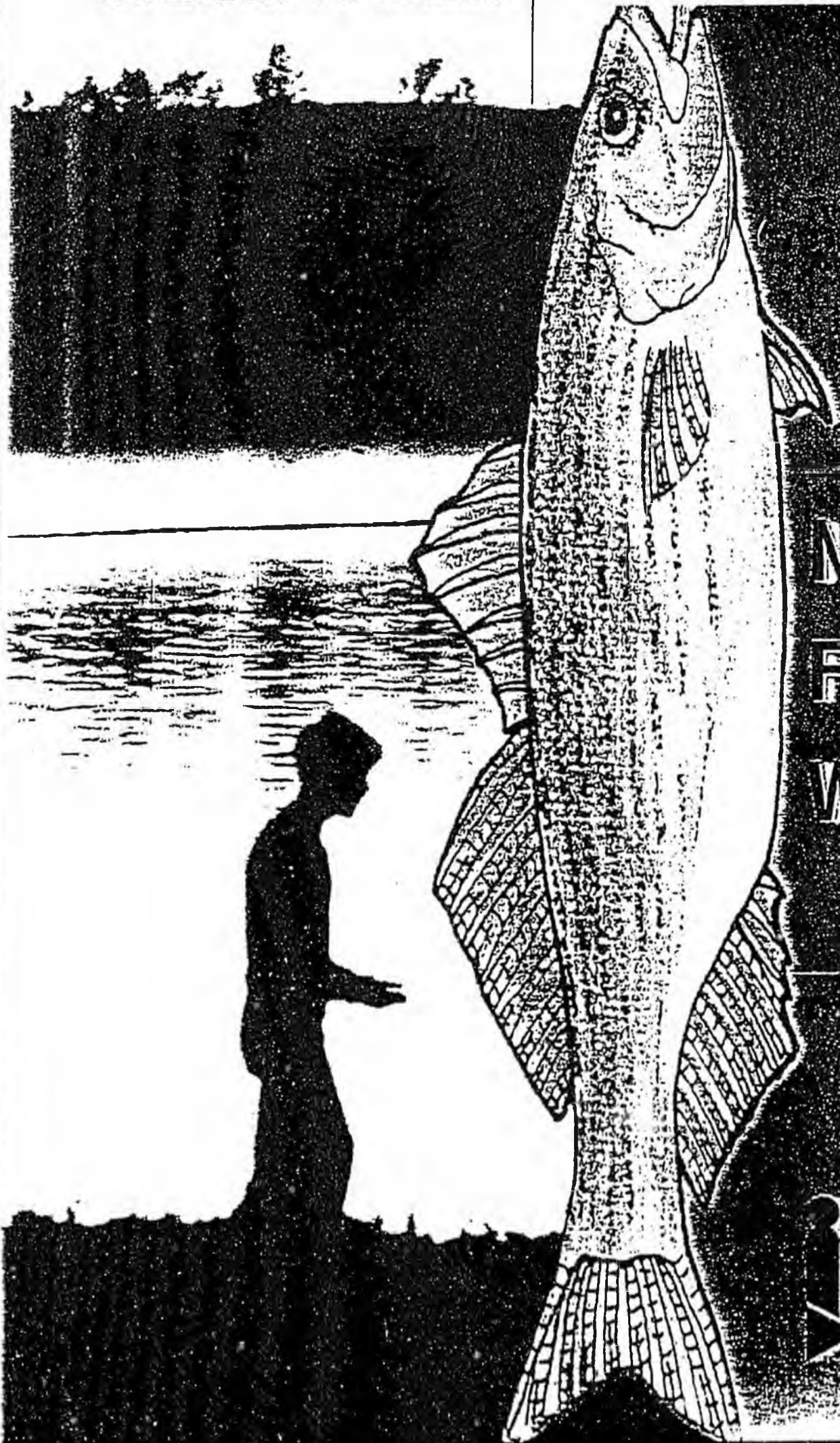
Sincerely,

*Ronald J. Johnson*  
Ronald J. Johnson

President MSFC

(907) 451-6139

Letter of Support for HB 256



# National Fishing Week



MAY 18 1992



Fishing is a healthy outdoor recreational activity in New York which grows more popular every year. The reasons are as many and diverse as the waters where the sport can be pursued.

New York is a state truly rich in water resources. The mammoth Great Lakes, sprawling reaches of Long Island's coastal shores, legendary Catskill streams, rare splendor of our Finger Lakes, miles of rivers and tiny Adirondack ponds all have their beauty and each offer unparalleled fishing potential.

That potential is made real for present day fishermen by the continuance of New York's century-old tradition of sound fisheries management carried forward by dedicated professionals. Their efforts have resulted in a breadth and scope of fishing opportunity unmatched in the nation. We also help people learn about fishing so they can enjoy this lifetime recreation.

Fishing has a particular fascination for children of all ages. Mindful of this affinity, New York makes available to young anglers a formal and enjoyable educational program. The Sportfishing Aquatic Resources Education Program (SAREP) uses trained volunteers to impart to our youth a feeling for the traditions of sportfishing and solid knowledge about conservation, management and wise use of our aquatic resources. More than 2.3 million anglers 16 years and older and about one million children enjoy angling in New York each year. Cumulatively they fish more than 50 million days and spend in excess of \$2.5 billion annually in pursuit of their favorite fish.

To give both residents and nonresidents an opportunity to savor the joys of fishing in New York, we again invite the public to enjoy two free days of fishing on June 27-28, 1992. No license is required for this weekend, allowing first-time anglers and those who have gotten away from the sport a chance to wet a line and perhaps ignite a lifetime love affair. Good stewardship of our natural resources is an easier goal to attain when all of our citizens have an appreciation for and a stake in those resources. Fishing is a great place to start that linkage. This year we celebrate this observance throughout June, beginning with National Fishing Week, June 1-7, and culminating with our free fishing days on the last weekend.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mario M. Cuomo, Governor of the state of New York, do hereby proclaim June, 1992, as

FISHING MONTH

in New York state.



BY THE GOVERNOR:

G I V E N under my hand and the  
Privy Seal of the State at the  
Capitol in the City of Albany  
this fourth day of May in the  
year one thousand nine hundred  
hundred and ninety-two.

*Mario M. Cuomo*

*Andrew J. Tambelli*  
Secretary to the Governor



# Alaska Sportfishing Association

P. O. Box 24-1847 Anchorage, AK 99524-1847


Representative Pete Kelly  
State House  
Juneau, Ak 99801  
Via Fax

Dear Representative Kelly,

We have just been advised of HB 256 which authorizes the Commissioner of Fish and Game to establish free sport fishing days.

The Alaska Sportfishing Association (ASA) feels that the bill provides everyone the opportunity to take part in one of Alaska's premier activities. It should increase the awareness of both Alaskans and our visitors to the sport of fishing and the use of our incredible Alaska outdoors.

ASA wholeheartedly supports HB 256 and urges

 3/14/95

Phil Cutler, President

# STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

## Proclamation

WHEREAS, there are over one million anglers including women, children, senior citizens and handicapped, who enjoy fishing reservoirs, lakes, ponds, streams and rivers in Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, June 7 - 13, 1993 has been proclaimed as National Fishing Week; and

WHEREAS, fishing is an established recreational activity in Oklahoma enjoyed by over one million anglers, including women, children, senior citizens and handicapped; and

WHEREAS, fishing generates more than \$442 million annually to the benefit of local economies; and

WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Commission has recognized June 12 and 13 during National Fishing Week as "Free Fishing Days" in Oklahoma;

WHEREAS, of "Free Fishing Days" in Oklahoma, the first state in the nation to designate a "Free Fishing Day" celebration;

NOW THEREFORE, I, David Walters, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, do hereby proclaim the week of June 7 - 13, 1993, as

### NATIONAL FISHING WEEK

In the State of Oklahoma.

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.*



*Done at the Capitol in the City of Oklahoma City, this 20th day of May, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-three, and of the State of Oklahoma the eighty-fifth year.*

*John Kramer*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*David Walters*  
GOVERNOR

**HB**

**258**



**Alaska State Legislature  
House of Representatives**

REPRESENTATIVE CON BUNDE  
CO-CHAIR HEALTH, EDUCATION  
& SOCIAL SERVICES  
VICE-CHAIR RULES

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**SPONSOR STATEMENT  
HB 258**

**“An Act relating to compensation for agents who sell licenses and tags for the Department of Fish and Game”**

The purpose of HB 258 is to place a cap on the amount of compensation vendors receive for selling hunting, sport fishing, trapping licenses and tags. Currently, the State of Alaska compensates vendors by allowing them to retain 5 percent of the fee charged for each hunting and fishing license or tag, plus additional compensation at a later date. The additional compensation received by the vendor amounts to \$50 per year or \$1 per tag or license, whichever is greater.

HB 258 limits vendor compensation to \$10,000 per year. The result of the cap will be a Fish and Game fund savings of \$312,104 per year. The new cap will, in varying degrees, affect only 4 percent of the vendors throughout the state. The vendors will lose some of their state subsidy, but they will retain the ability to draw business by continued sales of licenses and tags.

This legislation saves state money while allowing vendors to recover their actual expenses. Additionally, vendors may continue to sell Fish and Game licenses both as a service and as an item that will increase customer traffic in their store. I urge your positive consideration of HB 258.

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LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS AGENCY  
STATE OF ALASKA**

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Juneau, Alaska 99801-2105

**MEMORANDUM**

April 5, 1995

**SUBJECT:** Sectional Summary of HB 258; An Act relating to compensation for agents who sell licenses and tags for the Department of Fish and Game.

**TO:** Representative Con Bunde

**FROM:** George Utermohle *GU*  
Legislative Counsel

You have requested a sectional summary of HB 258; An Act relating to compensation for agents who sell licenses and tags for the Department of Fish and Game.

As a preliminary matter, note that a sectional summary of a bill is not an authoritative interpretation of the bill. The bill itself is the best statement of its contents.

Section 1 of the bill amends AS 16.05.390(a) in order to provide that an agent appointed by the commissioner of fish and game to sell hunting, sport fishing, and trapping licenses and tags may not receive more than \$10,000 in compensation in a year.

Section 2 of the bill makes a technical, conforming amendment to AS 16.05.390(b).

Section 3 of the bill amends AS 16.05.390(c) in order to provide that the compensation paid to an agent does not exceed \$10,000 in a year.

GU:lmb:klb  
95-155.lmb

# FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
1995 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. HB258

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. Affected: Fish and Game  
 Title: An Act relating to compensation for agents who BRU: Administration  
sell Fish & Game licenses and tags. Component: Administration  
 Sponsor: Representative Bunde  
 Requester: House Special Committee on Fisheries COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 479

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 96	FY 97	FY 98	FY 99	FY 00	FY 01
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES						
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )	312.1	312.1	312.1	312.1	312.1	312.1
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**FUND SOURCE** (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1006 GF/MHTIA						
Other	312.1	312.1	312.1	312.1	312.1	312.1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>312.1</b>	<b>312.1</b>	<b>312.1</b>	<b>312.1</b>	<b>312.1</b>	<b>312.1</b>

Estimate of any current year (FY95) cost: \$ 0.0

**POSITIONS**

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

**ANALYSIS:** (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This bill proposes to limit vendor compensation for the sale of fish and game licenses to \$10,000 per year. Based on 1993 license sales, this bill would impact 43 out of approximately 1,000 license vendors (see attached). It would have a positive impact on the fish and game fund of approximately \$312.1 which would be available for appropriation for fish and wildlife projects.

To simplify implementation, the bill should be effective at the beginning of the calendar year.

Prepared by: Kevin Brooks, Director *Kevin Brooks* Phone: 465-5999  
 Division: Administration Date: 4/4/95  
 Approved by Commissioner: Frank Rue *Frank Rue for* Date: 4/6/95  
 Agency: Department of Fish and Game

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Liconso Year 1993 Sales

Vendor #	Vendor Name	City	Unit Sales	Gross Sales	Comp	Add Comp	Total Comp	Reduction on Vendor's compensation 1993 vs	Total reduction 1993 vs
7452	Longs Drugs #103	Anchorage	13,683.00	420,319.25	21,466.55	13,566.00	35,032.55	25,032.55	312,104.68
7507	Elmendorf Sports Store	Elmendorf A F B	16,058.00	300,145.00	15,007.27	16,058.00	31,065.27	21,065.27	
1077	Gary King Sporting Goods #1	Anchorage	9,554.00	384,150.50	19,364.85	9,516.00	28,880.85	18,880.85	
0874	Mack's Sport Shop Inc.	Kodiak	9,376.00	279,762.00	19,727.30	8,094.00	27,821.30	17,821.30	
7453	Longs Drugs #157	Anchorage	12,169.00	281,913.50	14,261.75	12,124.00	26,385.75	16,385.75	
7620	Payless Drug Store #1313	Soldotna	12,176.00	263,967.75	14,007.80	11,964.00	25,971.80	15,971.80	
0007	Mt. View Sports Center, Inc.	Anchorage	7,712.00	330,684.75	16,633.63	7,691.00	24,324.63	14,324.63	
7225	Carr's #13	Anchorage	12,434.00	236,601.00	11,832.00	12,434.00	24,266.00	14,266.00	
0171	Fish House Inc (the)	Seward	8,781.00	198,768.25	16,014.00	7,779.00	23,793.00	13,793.00	
2596	Tesoro Northshore Company	Anchorage	12,179.00	215,241.00	11,295.85	12,058.00	23,353.85	13,353.85	
2617	Alaskan Tackle	Soldotna	11,557.00	228,158.50	11,622.85	11,502.00	23,124.85	13,124.85	
0132	Cy's Sporting Goods	Kodiak	4,674.00	187,839.00	17,087.25	3,147.00	20,234.25	10,234.25	
0350	Mac's Sporting Goods	Sitka	8,007.00	191,089.00	11,097.85	7,664.00	18,761.85	8,761.85	
7255	Fred Meyer	Juneau	8,913.00	184,139.25	9,697.45	8,780.00	18,477.45	8,477.45	
7224	Carr's #5	Anchorage	6,707.00	235,085.00	11,755.00	6,707.00	18,462.00	8,462.00	
7256	Fred Meyer	Fairbanks	6,540.00	230,016.75	11,502.00	6,540.00	18,042.00	8,042.00	
2026	Alaska Ship Supply	Dutch Harbor	1,641.00	119,822.00	17,799.30	66.00	17,865.30	7,865.30	
7615	Payless Drug Store #1330	Eagle River	7,951.00	191,228.00	9,562.75	7,951.00	17,513.75	7,513.75	
7254	Fred Meyer	Anchorage	7,376.00	163,824.75	8,192.25	7,376.00	15,568.25	5,568.25	
7621	Payless Drug Store #1306	Wasilla	7,033.00	166,236.00	8,313.00	7,033.00	15,346.00	5,346.00	
0525	Chinook Gift Shop	King Salmon	2,557.00	188,068.00	12,591.17	2,147.00	14,738.17	4,738.17	
7253	Fred Meyer	Anchorage	7,031.00	153,979.50	7,699.13	7,031.00	14,730.13	4,730.13	
1310	Tongass Trading Company #1	Ketchikan	4,156.00	132,841.00	10,768.55	3,503.00	14,271.55	4,271.55	
0324	Western Auto	Juneau	6,986.00	137,833.00	7,382.25	6,852.00	14,234.25	4,234.25	
2441	Gary King Sporting Goods-kenal	Kenai	5,341.00	155,176.00	8,452.30	5,159.00	13,611.30	3,611.30	
1311	Tongass Outfitters # 2	Ketchikan	6,199.00	147,499.25	7,375.50	6,199.00	13,574.50	3,574.50	
7618	Payless Drug Store #1360	Anchorage	6,235.00	115,795.75	7,290.50	6,235.00	13,525.50	3,525.50	
7616	Payless Drug Store #1370	Anchorage	6,278.00	134,313.25	6,717.25	6,278.00	12,995.25	2,995.25	
7218	Carr's #11	Wasilla	6,398.00	130,613.00	6,533.50	6,398.00	12,931.50	2,931.50	
2048	Davis Super Foods	Cordova	3,633.00	123,623.00	9,761.95	2,977.00	12,738.95	2,738.95	
7504	Northern Alaska Exchange	Fort Wainwright	6,152.00	130,671.25	6,534.26	6,152.00	12,686.26	2,686.26	
7217	Carr's #8	Kenai	5,652.00	121,498.00	7,096.25	5,432.00	12,528.25	2,528.25	
7617	Payless Drug Store #1380	Anchorage	5,725.00	133,172.25	6,659.75	5,725.00	12,384.75	2,384.75	
1743	Nimichik General Store	Nimichik	6,161.00	113,712.25	6,059.65	6,070.00	12,129.65	2,129.65	
1350	Prospector Apparel & Sporting	North Pole	4,825.00	144,879.00	7,244.25	4,825.00	12,069.25	2,069.25	
1199	Hammer & Wikan, Inc.	Petersburg	4,076.00	121,273.00	8,412.35	3,586.00	11,998.35	1,998.35	
1825	Kachemak Gear Shed	Homer	4,346.00	97,362.00	8,113.85	3,636.00	11,749.85	1,749.85	
7226	Carr's #14	Palmer	4,703.00	136,790.00	6,841.00	4,703.00	11,544.00	1,544.00	
1945	Plaza Sports	Ketchikan	4,280.00	121,631.25	7,089.25	4,055.00	11,144.25	1,144.25	
0556	Ketchum Air Service	Anchorage	2,694.00	168,840.00	8,442.75	2,694.00	11,136.75	1,136.75	
7505	Eielson Base Exchange	Eielson A F B	5,382.00	110,565.00	5,528.27	5,382.00	10,910.27	910.27	
7614	Payless Drug Store #1390	Anchorage	4,849.00	105,089.00	5,254.75	4,659.00	10,123.75	123.75	
1524	Bull Shooter (the)	Tok	3,231.00	136,524.00	6,826.50	3,231.00	10,057.50	57.50	

# STATE OF ALASKA

## DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME

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December 29, 1994

The Honorable Con Bunde  
Alaska State Legislature  
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Dear Representative Bunde:

My legislative liaison, Geron Bruce, has prepared a brief analysis of the compensation paid vendors for the sale of 1993 hunting and fishing licenses as requested by Patti Swenson of your office.

Vendors sell recreational hunting and fishing licenses and associated tags as well as commercial crew member licenses. Under AS 16.05.390 each vendor is entitled to retain 5 percent of the fee that is charged for each tag or recreational fishing or hunting license. At a later date each vendor also receives additional compensation at the rate of \$50 per year, or one dollar per tag or license, whichever is greater. AS 16.05.470 authorizes vendors to retain 15 percent of the commercial fishing crew license fee. No additional compensation is granted on the sale of crew member licenses.

Total vendor compensation for 1993 was \$1.64 million. Compensation per vendor ranged from a high of \$35,000 to a low of \$50. It is worth noting that the top 25 percent of the vendors received 84 percent of the total compensation. The median compensation is \$410 per vendor. If vendor compensation were capped at \$1500 per vendor, total vendor compensation would be reduced by over one million dollars. Only 198 out of the 1018 vendors would have their compensation reduced by a cap of \$1500. At a cap of \$4000 only 95 vendors would receive reduced compensation, yet total compensation would be reduced by \$685,000.

The following table summarizes the information. I have also enclosed a list of all vendors.

	Unit Sales	Gross Sales	Comp	Add Comp	Total Comp	Total reduction @ 1500 cap	Total reduction @ 4000 cap
Totals	622,610.00	17,422,167.76	1,042,617.98	601,084.00	1,643,701.98	1,013,099.39	685,913.86

Sincerely,

  
Carl L. Rosier  
Commissioner

Enclosure

License Year 1993 Sales

<u>Vendor #</u>	<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Unit Sales</u>	<u>Gross Sales</u>	<u>Comp</u>	<u>Add Comp</u>	<u>Total Comp</u>
7452	Longs Drugs #103	Anchorage	13,683.00	420,319.25	21,466.55	13,566.00	35,032.55
7507	Elmendorf Sports Store	Elmendorf A F B	16,058.00	300,145.00	15,007.27	16,058.00	31,065.27
1077	Gary King Sporting Goods #1	Anchorage	9,554.00	384,150.50	19,364.85	9,516.00	28,880.85
0874	Mack's Sport Shop Inc.	Kodiak	9,376.00	279,762.00	19,727.30	8,094.00	27,821.30
7453	Longs Drugs #157	Anchorage	12,169.00	281,913.50	14,261.75	12,124.00	26,385.75
7620	Payless Drug Store #1313	Soldotna	12,176.00	263,967.75	14,007.80	11,964.00	25,971.80
0007	Mt. View Sports Center, Inc.	Anchorage	7,712.00	330,684.75	16,633.63	7,691.00	24,324.63
7225	Carr's #13	Anchorage	12,434.00	236,601.00	11,832.00	12,434.00	24,266.00
0171	Fish House Inc (Ihe)	Seward	8,781.00	198,768.25	16,014.00	7,779.00	23,793.00
2596	Tesoro Northstore Company	Anchorage	12,179.00	215,241.00	11,295.85	12,058.00	23,353.85
2617	Alaskan Tackle	Soldotna	11,557.00	228,158.50	11,622.85	11,502.00	23,124.85
0132	Cy's Sporting Goods	Kodiak	4,674.00	187,839.00	17,087.25	3,147.00	20,234.25
0350	Mac's Sporting Goods	Sitka	8,007.00	191,089.00	11,097.85	7,664.00	18,761.85
7255	Fred Meyer	Juneau	8,913.00	184,139.25	9,697.45	8,780.00	18,477.45
7224	Carr's #5	Anchorage	6,707.00	235,085.00	11,755.00	6,707.00	18,462.00
7256	Fred Meyer	Fairbanks	6,540.00	230,016.75	11,502.00	6,540.00	18,042.00
2026	Alaska Ship Supply	Dutch Harbor	1,641.00	119,822.00	17,799.30	66.00	17,865.30
7615	Payless Drug Store #1330	Eagle River	7,951.00	191,228.00	9,562.75	7,951.00	17,513.75
7254	Fred Meyer	Anchorage	7,376.00	163,824.75	8,192.25	7,376.00	15,568.25
7621	Payless Drug Store #1308	Wasilla	7,033.00	166,236.00	8,313.00	7,033.00	15,346.00
0525	Chinook Gift Shop	King Salmon	2,557.00	188,068.00	12,591.17	2,147.00	14,738.17
7253	Fred Meyer	Anchorage	7,031.00	153,979.50	7,699.13	7,031.00	14,730.13
1310	Tongass Trading Company #1	Ketchikan	4,156.00	132,841.00	10,768.55	3,503.00	14,271.55
0324	Western Auto	Juneau	6,986.00	137,833.00	7,382.25	6,852.00	14,234.25
2441	Gary King Sporting Goods-kenai	Kenai	5,341.00	155,176.00	8,452.30	5,159.00	13,611.30
1311	Tongass Outfitters # 2	Ketchikan	6,199.00	147,499.25	7,375.50	6,199.00	13,574.50
7618	Payless Drug Store #1360	Anchorage	6,235.00	145,795.75	7,290.50	6,235.00	13,525.50
7616	Payless Drug Store #1370	Anchorage	6,278.00	134,313.25	8,717.25	6,278.00	12,995.25
7218	Carr's 11	Wasilla	6,398.00	130,613.00	6,533.50	6,398.00	12,931.50
2048	Davis Super Foods	Cordova	3,633.00	123,623.00	9,761.95	2,977.00	12,738.95
7504	Northern Alaska Exchange	Fort Wainwright	6,152.00	130,671.25	6,534.26	6,152.00	12,686.26
7217	Carr's #8	Kenai	5,652.00	121,498.00	7,025.25	5,432.00	12,528.25
7617	Payless Drug Store #1380	Anchorage	5,725.00	133,172.25	6,659.75	5,725.00	12,384.75
1743	Ninilchik General Store	Ninilchik	6,161.00	113,712.25	6,059.65	6,070.00	12,129.65
1350	Prospector Apparel & Sporting	North Pole	4,825.00	144,879.00	7,244.25	4,825.00	12,069.25
1199	Hammer & Wikan, Inc.	Petersburg	4,076.00	121,273.00	8,412.35	3,586.00	11,998.35

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1825	Kachemak Gear Shed	Homer	4,346.00	97,362.00	8,113.85	3,636.00	11,749.85
7226	Carr's #14	Palmer	4,703.00	136,790.00	6,841.00	4,703.00	11,544.00
1945	Plaza Sports	Ketchikan	4,280.00	121,631.25	7,089.25	4,055.00	11,144.25
0556	Ketchum Air Service	Anchorage	2,694.00	168,840.00	8,442.75	2,694.00	11,136.75
7505	Eielson Base Exchange	Eielson A F B	5,382.00	110,565.00	5,528.27	5,382.00	10,910.27
7614	Payless Drug Store #1390	Anchorage	4,869.00	105,089.00	5,254.75	4,869.00	10,123.75
1524	Bull Shooter (the)	Tok	3,231.00	136,524.00	6,826.50	3,231.00	10,057.50
0201	Chimo Guns	Wasilla	3,363.00	123,123.00	6,301.55	3,316.00	9,617.55
7229	Eagle Quality Cnt (carr's #68)	Homer	4,534.00	80,731.00	4,746.75	4,335.00	9,081.75
7222	Carr's #10	Anchorage	4,546.00	89,821.00	4,492.25	4,546.00	9,038.25
0033	Ulmers Drug & Hardware	Homer	4,065.00	91,403.00	5,036.80	3,934.00	8,970.80
7252	Fred Meyer	Fairbanks	3,558.00	105,191.25	5,260.25	3,558.00	8,818.25
1289	Hook Line And Sinker	Valdez	3,495.00	88,991.00	5,092.10	3,355.00	8,447.10
7227	Carr's #17	Anchorage	3,911.00	89,036.25	4,454.00	3,911.00	8,365.00
7219	Carr's #12	Anchorage	4,092.00	84,231.00	4,213.50	4,092.00	8,305.50
7216	Carr's #7	Eagle River	4,142.00	80,719.25	4,036.50	4,142.00	8,178.50
0337	Alaska Sport Shop	Haines	3,297.00	83,789.00	4,916.80	3,109.00	8,025.80
0784	Fin-n-fur Sporting Goods	Fairbanks	2,611.00	106,164.00	5,452.50	2,573.00	8,025.50
1586	Resort Assoc.-waterfall Resort	Ketchikan	3,824.00	81,800.00	4,090.00	3,824.00	7,914.00
7503	Ft Richardson Post Exchange	Fort Richardson	4,143.00	73,278.00	3,664.38	4,143.00	7,807.38
1443	Sportsman Marine Supply	Homer	3,040.00	62,425.00	4,874.85	2,640.00	7,514.85
7301	N & N Market Inc - Omni #1	Dillingham	1,601.00	68,921.00	6,344.60	1,087.00	7,431.60
1543	Murray Pacific Corp Of Alaska	Sitka	1,853.00	58,319.25	5,911.55	1,279.00	7,190.55
1308	Alaska Commercial Co.	Dutch Harbor	1,181.00	49,377.00	6,160.35	586.00	6,746.35
7220	Carr's #6	Anchorage	2,915.00	75,603.00	3,781.50	2,915.00	6,696.50
2271	B & J Commercial	Anchorage	2,160.00	54,724.00	5,078.55	1,537.00	6,615.55
1265	Sports Den (the)	Soldotna	3,116.00	67,963.00	3,530.80	3,079.00	6,609.80
0333	Fisherman's Bend	Auke Bay	3,274.00	60,316.00	3,298.40	3,201.00	6,499.40
0345	Trading Union, Inc. (the)	Petersburg	2,195.00	58,048.00	4,421.20	1,887.00	6,308.20
0381	Angerman's Inc	Wrangell	2,448.00	70,054.00	3,897.10	2,350.00	6,247.10
2406	Valley Home Center, Inc.	Eagle River	2,053.00	75,088.00	4,151.10	1,959.00	6,110.10
0011	Amy Navy Store	Anchorage	2,494.00	67,335.25	3,490.90	2,462.00	5,952.90
0116	Iliamna Trading Company	Iliamna	691.00	105,120.00	5,256.00	691.00	5,947.00
1638	Regal Alaskan Hotel	Anchorage	1,381.00	91,002.00	4,550.25	1,381.00	5,931.25
1559	Southeast Alaska Seiners	Ketchikan	575.00	42,102.00	5,739.30	130.00	5,869.30
0235	Alaska Sportsmans Mall	Fairbanks	2,169.00	71,680.00	3,644.00	2,153.00	5,797.00
1668	Soldotna Trustworthy Hardw Crp	Soldotna	2,729.00	60,330.00	3,079.50	2,712.00	5,791.50

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7228	Eagle Quality Cnt (carr's #67)	Seward	2,100.00	47,051.25	3,822.05	1,861.00	5,683.05
2772	Taquan Travel	Craig	1,916.00	53,651.00	4,058.00	1,601.00	5,659.00
2594	The Fishing Hole	Soldotna	2,628.00	56,118.25	2,851.50	2,611.00	5,462.50
2420	Kodiak Island Charters	Kodiak	2,914.00	45,805.00	2,298.25	2,912.00	5,208.25
2680	Seattle (alaska) Ship Supply	Seattle	433.00	34,574.00	5,186.10	50.00	5,238.10
2331	Dan's Tackle Town	Wasilla	2,577.00	48,462.00	2,511.80	2,549.00	5,060.80
2434	Dehart's Store, Inc.	Auke Bay	2,293.00	44,915.25	2,973.95	2,128.00	5,031.95
0497	Naknek Trading	Naknek	770.00	42,429.00	4,622.80	366.00	4,988.80
0555	Knudson Cove Marina	Ketchikan	2,387.00	47,350.00	2,463.50	2,341.00	4,804.50
7221	Carr's #9	Anchorage	2,539.00	44,285.25	2,216.75	2,539.00	4,755.75
7302	Swansons	Bethel	1,486.00	40,730.00	3,732.20	986.00	4,718.20
1608	Kasilof Riverview Lodge	Kasilof	2,138.00	41,525.00	2,654.70	2,004.00	4,658.70
1508	High Adventure Air Charter	Soldotna	752.00	77,755.00	3,887.75	752.00	4,639.75
2685	Deep Sea Fisheries, Inc.	Seattle	350.00	30,036.00	4,505.40	50.00	4,555.40
0561	Virginia Wells	Yakutat	1,001.00	64,075.00	3,320.75	978.00	4,298.75
1337	Rayco Sales	Juneau	1,925.00	45,654.00	2,388.05	1,899.00	4,287.05
2775	Alaskan Airport Properties Inc	Yakutat	1,586.00	52,629.00	2,688.85	1,571.00	4,259.85
7810	Kmart Corporation Store #3623	Kenai	1,838.00	47,342.00	2,404.10	1,826.00	4,230.10
2851	Mlg Inc. Dba Sentry Hardware	Fairbanks	1,670.00	50,106.25	2,506.00	1,670.00	4,176.00
2115	Farm Lodge (the)	Port Alsworth	491.00	73,037.00	3,652.00	491.00	4,143.00
1152	Valley Chevron	Juneau	2,216.00	37,079.00	1,854.25	2,216.00	4,070.25
2458	D. R. Lax Construction	Naknek	373.00	27,314.00	3,977.10	50.00	4,027.10
1432	Outdoors And More	Wasilla	1,643.00	44,377.25	2,255.25	1,633.00	3,888.25
1642	Borden's Roadside Store	Sitka	1,684.00	35,995.00	2,181.75	1,588.00	3,769.75
0382	Ottesen Inc	Wrangell	1,310.00	34,199.00	2,642.30	1,117.00	3,759.30
2431	Navy Exchange, Adak	Fpo Ap 96506-1208	1,802.00	37,607.50	1,922.39	1,788.00	3,710.39
0074	Hamilton's Place	Cooper Landing	1,737.00	38,412.00	1,923.75	1,736.00	3,659.75
0619	Yakutat Hardware	Yakutat	1,162.00	35,712.00	2,602.80	1,008.00	3,610.80
1882	Alaska Commercial Co	Dillingham	806.00	32,925.00	3,061.25	527.00	3,588.25
7215	Carr's #2	Anchorage	1,835.00	34,330.00	1,720.25	1,834.00	3,554.25
0981	Valley Country Store #1	Wasilla	1,747.00	35,380.00	1,772.75	1,746.00	3,518.75
2254	L & M Marine & Sporting Goods	Hoonah	1,408.00	32,949.00	2,240.45	1,241.00	3,481.45
0270	Diehls Shopping Center, Inc.	Delta Junction	1,551.00	38,162.75	1,908.38	1,551.00	3,459.38
2554	Eberle's	King Cove	492.00	23,296.00	3,431.35	50.00	3,481.35
1079	Coast Guard Exchange Systems	Kodiak	1,682.00	33,820.00	1,691.00	1,692.00	3,373.00
2682	Alaska Skyways Dba Regal Air	Anchorage	805.00	51,190.00	2,559.50	805.00	3,364.50
2791	Seattle Marine & fishing Suppl	Seattle	277.00	22,014.00	3,302.10	50.00	3,352.10

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0052	D.c Expeditors, Inc.	Anchorage	328.00	59,270.00	2,963.50	328.00	3,291.50
0892	King Salmon Commercial	King Salmon	848.00	38,176.00	2,455.35	770.00	3,225.35
2040	Trident Seafood	Sand Point	356.00	21,777.00	3,183.05	50.00	3,233.05
0828	Harri Plumbing & Heating	Juneau	1,087.00	25,450.25	2,372.65	823.00	3,195.65
0913	Robinson's	Kenai	1,143.00	26,178.00	2,200.60	960.00	3,160.60
7231	Eagle Quality Cnt (carr's #76)	Valdez	1,195.00	29,081.50	2,067.05	1,086.00	3,153.05
0357	Skagway Hardware Company	Skagway	1,353.00	32,940.00	1,647.00	1,353.00	3,000.00
1883	Aaa Alaskan Outfitters Inc.	Anchorage	235.00	54,435.00	2,721.75	235.00	2,958.75
7623	Payless Drug Store #1350	Fairbanks	1,190.00	35,013.00	1,751.25	1,190.00	2,941.25
1810	Rainy Pass Lodge	Anchorage	177.00	55,060.00	2,753.00	177.00	2,930.00
0972	Down Under Guns	Fairbanks	938.00	39,820.00	1,991.00	938.00	2,929.00
1871	Murray Pacific Supply Inc	Ketchikan	876.00	25,498.00	2,221.30	701.00	2,922.30
2665	Kenai Cache	Cooper Landing	1,474.00	26,774.00	1,339.00	1,474.00	2,813.00
1769	American Village Of Alaska, In	Glennallen	1,287.00	30,163.25	1,509.50	1,287.00	2,798.50
0888	Great Alaska Fish Camp	Sterling	1,540.00	23,540.00	1,177.00	1,540.00	2,717.00
1774	Trident Seafoods Corp	Naknek	253.00	18,133.00	2,680.45	50.00	2,730.45
1445	Trident Seafoods Corp	Akutan	256.00	17,605.00	2,639.25	50.00	2,689.25
1138	Central Charter Booking Agency	Homer	1,491.00	22,010.00	1,100.50	1,491.00	2,591.50
1927	Alaska Commercial Co.	Cordova	765.00	25,619.00	1,818.30	675.00	2,493.30
0528	Alaska Commercial Co	Kotzebue	556.00	33,811.00	2,037.15	439.00	2,478.15
2601	Gale D. Daniels	Sand Point	360.00	19,234.00	2,371.10	99.00	2,470.10
2539	Greatland Marine Co.	Anchorage	215.00	16,238.00	2,414.70	50.00	2,464.70
7514	Elmendorf Shoppette	Anchorage	1,319.00	20,877.00	1,044.00	1,319.00	2,363.00
2027	Sentry Hardware & Marine	Wrangell	865.00	20,910.00	1,519.50	771.00	2,290.50
2476	Southeast Alaska Sportfishing	Ketchikan	1,155.00	22,460.00	1,132.00	1,152.00	2,284.00
1431	Alaska Bush Adventures	Anchorage	181.00	41,370.00	2,068.50	181.00	2,249.50
7619	Payless Drug Store #1320	Juneau	1,057.00	23,832.25	1,192.00	1,057.00	2,249.00
1748	Alaska Fish 'n Fun Charters	Ketchikan	1,398.00	16,905.00	845.25	1,398.00	2,243.25
0829	Ers Enterprises	Sitka	357.00	17,688.00	2,126.15	115.00	2,241.15
0814	Glennallen Sporting Goods	Glennallen	877.00	26,934.00	1,347.00	877.00	2,224.00
0218	Willow Hardware	Willow	1,101.00	22,281.00	1,123.50	1,098.00	2,221.50
1110	Nome Outfitters	Nome	488.00	34,505.00	1,725.25	488.00	2,213.25
0918	Glacier Guides, Inc.	Gustavus	174.00	40,690.00	2,034.50	174.00	2,208.50
1925	Alaska West Air	Nikiski	310.00	37,865.00	1,893.25	310.00	2,203.25
0942	Nelbro Packing Company	Naknek	264.00	14,861.00	2,180.65	50.00	2,230.65
2199	Vishama, Inc. Dbw Gwin's Lodge	Cooper Landing	1,129.00	21,277.00	1,064.00	1,129.00	2,193.00
7306	Omni City Market	King Salmon	623.00	29,272.00	1,565.81	608.00	2,173.81

License Year 1993 Sales

1069	Rust's Flying Service, Inc.	Anchorage	1,190.00	18,880.00	944.00	1,190.00	2,134.00
1908	Fejes Guide Service Ltd	Anchorage	162.00	39,440.00	1,972.00	162.00	2,134.00
1365	Nelbro Packing Co.	Egegik	213.00	14,241.00	2,117.65	50.00	2,167.65
0223	Big Ray's Surplus, Inc.	Fairbanks	890.00	24,355.00	1,217.75	890.00	2,107.75
1923	King Salmon Express	King Salmon	829.00	25,325.00	1,266.25	829.00	2,095.25
1953	Howsers Supermarket, Ltd.	Haines	953.00	21,507.00	1,159.55	928.00	2,087.55
1279	Pederson Point	Naknek	194.00	13,915.00	2,070.75	50.00	2,120.75
2036	Tok R.v. Village	Tok	737.00	26,779.00	1,339.25	737.00	2,076.25
2824	Foodland Super Drug	Juneau	1,086.00	18,381.00	976.50	1,075.00	2,051.50
1679	L. And M. Supplies	Dillingham	527.00	25,468.00	1,598.10	453.00	2,051.10
0590	Mahay's Riverboat Service, Inc	Talkeetna	1,127.00	18,222.00	911.25	1,127.00	2,038.25
1653	Petersburg Fisheries	Petersburg	187.00	13,530.00	2,029.50	50.00	2,079.50
1392	Sitka Fuels, Inc.	Sitka	519.00	16,707.00	1,628.50	394.00	2,022.50
2102	Alaska Commercial Co.	Unalakleet	496.00	21,991.00	1,695.15	324.00	2,019.15
1553	Kenai Riverbend Campground	Soldotna	1,003.00	19,865.00	993.25	1,003.00	1,996.25
2535	Homer Tesoro Service	Homer	588.00	27,243.00	1,401.75	577.00	1,978.75
2453	4 W Air/Justin Tyme Guide Serv	Soldotna	173.00	35,870.00	1,793.50	173.00	1,966.50
2135	Wards Cove Packing Company	Naknek	165.00	13,200.00	1,959.00	50.00	2,009.00
2231	Alaska Trophy Safaris, Inc.	Chugiak	391.00	30,740.00	1,537.00	391.00	1,928.00
1051	South Central Hardware	Valdez	805.00	18,444.00	1,159.55	745.00	1,904.55
0928	Millers Market	Houston	1,024.00	17,572.00	879.50	1,024.00	1,903.50
2427	Peter Pan Seafoods, Inc. Dill-	Dillingham	287.00	12,638.00	1,895.70	50.00	1,945.70
7502	Ft Greely Exchange	Delta Junction	875.00	20,345.00	1,017.25	875.00	1,892.25
2433	Super Value	North Pole	889.00	19,617.00	981.00	889.00	1,870.00
1973	Glacier Bay Lodge, Inc.	Gustavus	967.00	17,630.00	881.50	967.00	1,848.50
1418	Carl's, Inc.	Unalaska	479.00	15,406.25	1,487.70	358.00	1,845.70
0464	Joe Carlson	Dillingham	276.00	12,192.00	1,828.80	50.00	1,878.80
2037	Torwick's Tackle Box	Soldotna	861.00	18,167.00	947.55	849.00	1,796.55
2160	Log Gift & Jewelry	Soldotna	920.00	16,261.00	901.25	893.00	1,794.25
0994	Tackle Shack (the)	Thome Bay	833.00	19,155.00	957.75	833.00	1,790.75
2281	Naptown Trading Post	Sterling	846.00	18,299.00	951.25	838.00	1,789.25
2432	Elmendorf Afb	Elmendorf A F B	975.00	16,170.00	808.50	975.00	1,783.50
2472	Ridley's	Kodiak	199.00	12,317.00	1,748.05	50.00	1,798.05
2202	Quicky Mart ,inc	Homer	738.00	17,514.00	1,080.05	691.00	1,771.05
1343	Granite Creek General Store	Sitka	750.00	16,625.00	1,023.25	706.00	1,729.25
0379	Log Cabin Sports Rentals Inc	Klawock	780.00	18,894.00	945.00	780.00	1,725.00
1616	Whaler's Cove Lodge	Angoon	696.00	20,515.00	1,025.75	696.00	1,721.75